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FIRST DAY'S PROCEEDINGS

**Thirtieth Regular Session of the Legislature
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Constitution of 1974**

Senate Chamber
State Capitol
Baton Rouge, Louisiana

Monday, March 29, 2004

The Senate was called to order at 12:00 o'clock Noon, by Hon.
Donald E. Hines, President of the Senate.

ROLL CALL

The roll being called, the following members answered to their
names:

PRESENT

Mr. President	Dupre	Kostelka
Adley	Ellington	Lentini
Amedee	Fields	Malone
Bajoie	Fontenot	Marionneaux
Barham	Gautreaux, B	McPherson
Boasso	Gautreaux, N	Michot
Boissiere	Hainkel	Mount
Cain	Heitmeier	Nevers
Chaisson	Holden	Romero
Cheek	Hollis	Schedler
Cravins	Irons	Smith
Dardenne	Jackson	Theunissen
Duplessis	Jones	Ullo
Total—39		

ABSENT

Total—0

The President of the Senate announced there were 39 Senators
present and a quorum.

Prayer

The prayer was offered by Rev. Anthony Mangun, following
which the Senate joined in pledging allegiance to the flag of the
United States of America and Paulette Bailey led the Senate in
singing God Bless America.

Morning Hour

Rules Suspended

Senator Bajoie asked for and obtained a suspension of the rules
for the purpose of taking up at this time.

Introduction of Senate Resolutions

Senator Bajoie asked for and obtained a suspension of the rules
for the purpose of introducing and reading the following Senate
Resolutions a first and second time and acting upon them as follows:

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 1

BY SENATOR BAJOIE

A RESOLUTION

BE IT RESOLVED by the Senate of the State of Louisiana that a
committee of five be appointed to notify the House of
Representatives that the Senate is now duly convened and
organized and prepared to transact such business as may be
brought before it.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the resolution was read by title and
adopted.

In compliance with the resolution the President of the Senate
appointed the following committee:

Senators Ellington, Cravins, Michot, Malone and Cheek.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 2

BY SENATOR BAJOIE

A RESOLUTION

BE IT RESOLVED by the Senate of the State of Louisiana that a
committee of five be appointed to act with such a committee as
the House of Representatives may appoint to notify the
Governor that the Legislature is now duly convened and
organized and prepared to receive such communication as he
may desire to lay before it.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the resolution was read by title and
adopted.

In compliance with the resolution the President of the Senate
appointed the following committee:

Senators Jones, Duplessis, Romero, Lentini, and Boasso.

Reports of Committees

The committee appointed to notify the Governor that the Senate
had convened and was prepared to transact business reported it had
performed that duty. The President of the Senate thanked the
Committee and discharged it.

The committee appointed to notify the House of Representatives
that the Senate had convened and was prepared to transact business
reported it had performed that duty. The President of the Senate
thanked the Committee and discharged it.

**Committee from the
House of Representatives**

A committee from the House of Representatives appeared before
the Bar of the Senate and informed the Senate that the House of
Representatives was organized and ready to proceed with business.

Rules Suspended

Senator Bajoie asked for and obtained a suspension of the rules
for the purpose of taking up at this time.

**Introduction of
Senate Concurrent Resolutions**

Senator Bajoie asked for and obtained a suspension of the rules
for the purpose of introducing and reading the following Senate
Concurrent Resolutions a first and second time and acting upon them
as follows:

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 1—

BY SENATOR BAJOIE

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To invite the Honorable Kathleen Babineaux Blanco, Governor of
Louisiana, to address a joint session of the legislature.

The resolution was read by title. Senator Bajoie moved to adopt
the Senate Concurrent Resolution.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. President	Duplessis	Jackson
Adley	Dupre	Jones
Amedee	Ellington	Kostelka
Bajoie	Fields	Marionneaux
Barham	Fontenot	McPherson
Boasso	Gautreaux, B	Mount
Boissiere	Gautreaux, N	Nevers
Cain	Hainkel	Smith
Chaisson	Heitmeier	Theunissen
Cheek	Holden	Ullo
Cravins	Hollis	
Dardenne	Irons	
Total—34		

NAYS

Total—0

ABSENT

Lentini	Michot	Schedler
Malone	Romero	
Total—5		

The Chair declared the Senate had adopted the Senate Concurrent Resolution and ordered it sent to the House.

Prefiled Senate Bills and Joint Resolutions to be Referred

The following prefiled Senate Bills and Joint Resolutions were read by title and referred to committees.

SENATE BILL NO. 1—

BY SENATORS CAIN AND MICHOT

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:293(7), and to enact R.S. 47:293(2) and (6)(a)(i), relative to income tax deductions; to provide for a deduction for excess itemized deductions; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and returned to the Calendar, subject to call.

SENATE BILL NO. 2—

BY SENATOR MCPHERSON

A JOINT RESOLUTION

Proposing to add Article I, Section 27 of the Constitution of Louisiana, relative to the declaration of rights; to preserve the freedom to hunt, fish, and trap, subject to regulation, restriction, or prohibition imposed pursuant to law; and to specify an election for submission of the proposition to electors and provide a ballot proposition.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Natural Resources.

SENATE BILL NO. 3—

BY SENATOR MCPHERSON

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 43:111.1, relative to public media advertising; to prohibit the expenditure of any state funds for media advertisement which uses the name, likeness, or voice of any public official whether elected or appointed; to prohibit expenditure of public funds by any public entity for media advertisement which uses the name, likeness, or voice of any public official whether elected or appointed; to provide for

penalties for violation of this provision; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Senate and Governmental Affairs.

SENATE BILL NO. 4—

BY SENATOR MCPHERSON

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 38:2225.2, relative to public contracts; to prohibit the state and any state or local entity from using the "design-build" concept unless specifically authorized by law; to prohibit the state and any state or local entity from executing agreements to purchase unimproved property which agreement requires the successful design and construction of a structure prior to transfer of title unless specifically authorized by law; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Transportation, Highways, and Public Works.

SENATE BILL NO. 5—

BY SENATOR MCPHERSON

A JOINT RESOLUTION

Proposing to amend Article VII, Section 4(B) of the Constitution of Louisiana, relative to certain severance taxes on natural resources; to remove certain prohibitions relative to oil, gas, and sulphur; and to specify an election for submission of the proposition to electors and provide a ballot proposition.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Revenue and Fiscal Affairs.

SENATE BILL NO. 6—

BY SENATOR SMITH

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 9:159(H), relative to abandoned property; to provide for reports of abandoned property by institutions of higher education; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Senate and Governmental Affairs.

SENATE BILL NO. 7—

BY SENATOR SMITH

AN ACT

To amend and reenact Section 4(A) of Act No. 105 of the 1976 Regular Session, relative to the Saline Lake Game and Fish Preserve Commission; to provide for appointment of commission members subject to Senate confirmation; to provide for staggered terms of commissioners; to abolish the current membership on the commission and provide for appointment of new members; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Natural Resources.

SENATE BILL NO. 8—

BY SENATOR B. GAUTREAUX

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 49:170.12, relative to state symbols; to designate St. Mary Parish as the Bass Fishing Capital of the World; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Natural Resources.

SENATE BILL NO. 9—
BY SENATOR DUPRE

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 23:1601(7)(c), relative to unemployment compensation; to provide with respect to qualifications for unemployment benefits; to provide for disqualification of benefits; to provide for unemployment benefits for seasonal workers; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Labor and Industrial Relations.

SENATE BILL NO. 10—
BY SENATOR DUPRE

AN ACT

To authorize and empower the Terrebonne Parish School Board to negotiate and lease certain described properties to the Terrebonne Council on Aging, Inc.; to provide for execution of lease documents; to provide for reservation of mineral rights; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Natural Resources.

SENATE BILL NO. 11—
BY SENATOR THEUNISSEN

AN ACT

To enact Chapter 19 of Title 24 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 24:971 through 974, relative to the Louisiana Commission on Civic Education; to establish the commission; to provide for membership; to provide for purposes of the commission; to provide for funding; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Senate and Governmental Affairs.

SENATE BILL NO. 12—
BY SENATOR THEUNISSEN

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 48:1002(A), relative to ferries; to provide for the period of appropriation of state funds for operation and maintenance of the Monkey Island Ferry located in Cameron Parish; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Transportation, Highways, and Public Works.

SENATE BILL NO. 13—
BY SENATOR THEUNISSEN

AN ACT

To enact Chapter 9 of Title 2 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 2:1001 through 1005, relative to wireless communication facilities; to provide for notice of the proposed construction of and for the marking of such facilities; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Transportation, Highways, and Public Works.

SENATE BILL NO. 14—
BY SENATOR DUPRE

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 15:587(1)(a), relative to criminal procedure; to provide relative to the Louisiana Bureau of Criminal Identification and Information; to authorize such bureau to release criminal history records and identification files to the Louisiana State Bar Association; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Judiciary A.

SENATE BILL NO. 15—
BY SENATOR DUPRE

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 56:326(F)(1), relative to size and possession limits of commercial fish; to provide for an affirmative defense for undersized crab violations; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Natural Resources.

SENATE BILL NO. 16—
BY SENATOR B. GAUTREAUX

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 17:183, relative to the hazing of students; to provide for legislative intent; to provide definitions; to prohibit hazing; to require city, parish, and other local public school boards to adopt, enforce, and post hazing policies; to provide for the required content of such policies; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Education.

SENATE BILL NO. 17—
BY SENATOR B. GAUTREAUX

AN ACT

To designate Louisiana Highway 1013 located in Assumption Parish as "Reedy Road"; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Transportation, Highways, and Public Works.

SENATE BILL NO. 18—
BY SENATORS MCPHERSON AND ELLINGTON

AN ACT

To designate a portion of Louisiana Highway 28 East located in central Louisiana as "Korean War Veterans Memorial Highway;" and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Transportation, Highways, and Public Works.

SENATE BILL NO. 19—
BY SENATOR SMITH

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 47:301(3)(i) and (13)(k), relative to state sales and use tax; to provide for an exclusion for a certain portion of the price of steel tired farm, agricultural, and forestry equipment; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and returned to the Calendar, subject to call.

SENATE BILL NO. 20—
BY SENATOR SMITH

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 56:410.10, relative to wildlife and fisheries; to regulate the use of yo-yos and trigger devices on Saline Lake within the Saline Lake Game and Fish Preserve; to provide certain restrictions and conditions; to provide penalties for violation; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Natural Resources.

SENATE BILL NO. 21—
BY SENATOR DUPRE

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 9:5167.2, relative to the cancellation of mortgage inscription; to limit certain mortgage inscription

cancellation requirements to residential mortgages; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Judiciary A.

SENATE BILL NO. 22—
BY SENATOR MOUNT

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 43:144, relative to publication of public meetings; to authorize official proceedings to be published within ten days from approval; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Senate and Governmental Affairs.

SENATE BILL NO. 23—
BY SENATOR MOUNT

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 4:144, relative to the Louisiana State Racing Commission; to increase the at-large membership of the commission; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Senate and Governmental Affairs.

SENATE BILL NO. 24—
BY SENATOR THEUNISSEN

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 48:1002(A) and (B)(1), relative to the Monkey Island Ferry; to rename the Monkey Island Ferry located in Cameron Parish to the Martin Luther King, Jr. Ferry; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Transportation, Highways, and Public Works.

SENATE BILL NO. 25—
BY SENATOR AMEDEE AND REPRESENTATIVE LAMBERT

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 48:231, relative to the state highway priority construction program; to authorize changes to the final highway construction program by the legislature under certain circumstances; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Transportation, Highways, and Public Works.

SENATE BILL NO. 26—
BY SENATOR DUPRE

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 48:461.27, relative to outdoor advertising; to authorize certain property owners to rebuild or reconstruct outdoor advertising; to require the Department of Transportation and Development to adopt certain rules and regulations; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Transportation, Highways, and Public Works.

SENATE BILL NO. 27—
BY SENATOR MCPHERSON

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 24:653(K) and Part VIII-B of Chapter 1 of Subtitle 1 of Title 39 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 39:310, relative to legislative review; to require private entities to provide to the legislature information relative to the expenditure of revenue generated from the operation, management, or control of public lands or facilities;

to require the division of administration to develop a reporting form; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Senate and Governmental Affairs.

SENATE BILL NO. 28—
BY SENATOR DUPRE

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 48:229(A)(11), relative to transportation; to provide relative to priority reports on construction projects; to provide relative to factors to be considered in the order of priorities; to add as a factor the safe evacuation of population when necessitated by catastrophic events; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Transportation, Highways, and Public Works.

SENATE BILL NO. 29—
BY SENATOR CHAISSON

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 32:190(A), relative to motorcycles; to require any person who operates or rides upon a motorcycle, motor driven cycle, or motorized bicycle to wear a safety helmet; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Transportation, Highways, and Public Works.

SENATE BILL NO. 30—
BY SENATOR DUPRE

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 32:407(A)(2) and (3), relative to driver's licenses; to increase the time required for possession of a learner's permit prior to obtaining an intermediate license in certain circumstances; to provide for exceptions; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Transportation, Highways, and Public Works.

SENATE BILL NO. 31—
BY SENATOR FIELDS

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 17:24.3 and 24.4(K), relative to school and district accountability; to terminate the state criterion-referenced testing program by a certain date; to require each city, parish, or other local public school board to adopt a system of assessing students beginning with the 2006-2007 school year; to require such assessments be approved by the State Board of Elementary and Secondary Education; to require compliance with federal law; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Education.

SENATE BILL NO. 32—
BY SENATOR FIELDS

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 23:643, relative to payment of employees; to provide with respect to the establishment of a state minimum wage; to provide for an increase in state minimum wage when the federal minimum wage is increased; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Labor and Industrial Relations.

SENATE BILL NO. 33—
BY SENATOR FIELDS

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 23:302(4), (5), (6), (7), and (8) and to enact R.S. 23:302(9), (10), (11), and (12) and Part VIII of Chapter 3-A of Title 23 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 23:375 through 377, relative to prohibited discrimination in employment; to provide for definitions; to prohibit discrimination in wages; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Labor and Industrial Relations.

SENATE BILL NO. 34—
BY SENATOR N. GAUTREAUX

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 1:58.3, relative to certain holidays; to designate October as "Pregnancy and Infant Loss Awareness Month"; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Health and Welfare.

SENATE BILL NO. 35—
BY SENATOR N. GAUTREAUX

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 56:699.7, relative to firearm and hunter education; to allow the Department of Wildlife and Fisheries to offer instruction for safely riding "four wheeler" or all-terrain vehicles in the hunter and firearm education program; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Natural Resources.

SENATE BILL NO. 36—
BY SENATOR HOLDEN

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 33:2740.62, relative to sales and use tax; to authorize a tax for the operation of and capital projects related to mass transit systems in certain parishes and municipalities; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Local and Municipal Affairs.

SENATE BILL NO. 37—
BY SENATOR HOLDEN

AN ACT

To enact Chapter 6-A of Title 23 of the Louisiana Revised Statute of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 23:665 through 676, relative to employment; to provide with respect to payment of wages; to provide for definitions; to provide for department duties; to provide for payment of wages; to provide for payment after termination of employment; to provide for payment of commission and bonuses; to provide for form of payment; to provide for delivery of payment; to provide for deduction from wages; to provide for criminal penalties; to provide for security for wage payments; to provide for wage claims; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Labor and Industrial Relations.

SENATE BILL NO. 38—
BY SENATOR MCPHERSON

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 30:2154(B)(1)(a) and the introductory paragraph of (b) and to enact R.S. 30:2154(B)(9), relative to environmental quality; to provide for the disposal of sewage or treated wastewater; to provide for a definition; to provide for limitations; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Environmental Quality.

SENATE BILL NO. 39—
BY SENATOR MCPHERSON

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 24:653(K), and to enact Subpart E of Part I of Chapter 1 of Subtitle 1 of Title 39 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 39:17.1, relative to cooperative endeavor agreements; to require the commissioner of administration to provide a system of tracking certain cooperative endeavor agreements; to provide definitions; to provide for review and approval of certain cooperative endeavor agreements by the Joint Legislative Committee on the Budget; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Senate and Governmental Affairs.

SENATE BILL NO. 40—
BY SENATOR MCPHERSON

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 39:199(G), relative to information technology; to provide for a program for the acquisition of data processing equipment and software that allows small businesses to participate; to provide for the establishment of procedures; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Finance.

SENATE BILL NO. 41—
BY SENATOR MCPHERSON

AN ACT

To enact Part V-A of Chapter 1 of Title 49 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 49:115, relative to the settlement of claims by the state; to provide for submission to and approval by the legislature of certain claims in which the state has an interest; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Finance.

SENATE BILL NO. 42—
BY SENATOR NEVERS

AN ACT

To enact Part XIV-A of Chapter 5 of Title 3 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 3:557.21, relative to dairy promotion; to require state agencies to assist the Department of Agriculture and Forestry in the development, registration, and licensing of any trademark or label for use in promoting Louisiana dairy products; to authorize the Department of Agriculture and Forestry to sell licenses for such trademarks or labels; to create the Dairy Farmer Support Fund; to provide for the deposit of monies into the fund and for the use of such monies; to require the promulgation of rules and regulations; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Agriculture, Forestry, Aquaculture and Rural Development.

SENATE BILL NO. 43—
BY SENATOR NEVERS

AN ACT

To enact Part XIV-A of Chapter 5 of Title 3 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 3:557.21, relative to dairy promotion; to provide definitions; to require retailers to reserve and identify an area for the sale of Louisiana dairy products; to provide relative to the size and amount charged for such area; to require the promulgation of certain rules and regulations; to authorize the imposition of civil penalties under certain conditions; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Agriculture, Forestry, Aquaculture and Rural Development.

SENATE BILL NO. 44—

BY SENATOR NEVERS

A JOINT RESOLUTION

Proposing to add Article VII, Section 10.12 of the Constitution of Louisiana, relative to providing funds for the support of dairy farmers; to establish the Dairy Farmer Support Fund as a special fund in the state treasury; to provide for sources of revenue, and for deposit and uses of monies in the fund; to authorize the legislature by law to establish and implement programs to assist Louisiana dairy farmers; to specify an election for submission of the proposition to electors and provide a ballot proposition; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Agriculture, Forestry, Aquaculture and Rural Development.

SENATE BILL NO. 45—

BY SENATOR SMITH

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 56:409, relative to wildlife and fisheries; to authorize the Saline Lake Game and Fish Preserve Commission, under the supervision of the Department of Wildlife and Fisheries, to place triploid grass carp in the lake; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Natural Resources.

SENATE BILL NO. 46—

BY SENATOR THEUNISSEN

AN ACT

To enact Subpart G-1 of Part IV of Chapter 1 of Title 32 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 32:200, relative to the use of electric personal assistive mobility devices; to provide for the operation of such devices by those individuals with mobility impairments; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Health and Welfare.

SENATE BILL NO. 47—

BY SENATOR ULLO

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 56:578.14, relative to shrimp; to provide for the sale of shrimp by restaurants; to require identification as to the origin of shrimp; to provide notice to customers; to provide for display of information; to provide for penalties; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Natural Resources.

SENATE BILL NO. 48—

BY SENATOR HAINKEL

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 14:402(E), relative to offenses affecting law enforcement; to provide relative to contraband prohibited in certain correctional facilities; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Judiciary B.

SENATE BILL NO. 49—

BY SENATOR FONTENOT AND REPRESENTATIVE ERDEY

A JOINT RESOLUTION

Proposing to add Article VIII, Section 13(C)(Fourth) of the Constitution of Louisiana, to provide for the annual levy of an ad valorem maintenance tax by city, parish; and other local public school boards, to provide exceptions; to provide

limitations on the rate of such tax; to provide relative to the use of tax proceeds; to provide for submission of the proposed amendment to the electors; and to specify an election for submission of the proposition to electors and provide a ballot proposition.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Revenue and Fiscal Affairs.

SENATE BILL NO. 50—

BY SENATORS HAINKEL, BARHAM, CRAVINS, MICHOT AND SCHEDLER

AN ACT

To enact Chapter 43 of Title 17 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 17:4011 through 4014, relative to the Louisiana Parental Choice in Primary Education Program; to establish a program to pay the cost of private school tuition for four-year old early childhood education and kindergarten through third grade for certain eligible students; to provide for the eligibility of students; to provide requirements for participating schools; to provide for the responsibilities of the state Department of Education; to provide for implementation as a pilot program; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Education.

SENATE BILL NO. 51—

BY SENATOR ULLO

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 17:47(C)(1)(a) and (b), relative to certification of injury or disability leave; to require two physicians certifications; to require a biannual reevaluation from the date of the injury; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Education.

SENATE BILL NO. 52—

BY SENATOR ULLO

AN ACT

To amend R.S. 9:3198(A), relative to real estate; to provide relative to the sale of such property; to provide relative to homeowners' associations; to require disclosure by the seller to a potential purchaser of required membership in such an association as a result of the purchase; to require disclosure of certain other information relative to such homeowners' association; to require information relative to accessibility of certain documents of such homeowners' association; to provide for definitions; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Judiciary A.

SENATE BILL NO. 53—

BY SENATOR SMITH

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 9:334(A)(4), relative to child custody; to provide relative to the qualifications of mediators in such proceedings; to expand the authorization for judges meeting certain criteria to serve as such mediators to include all judges of the state; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Judiciary A.

SENATE BILL NO. 54—

BY SENATOR JONES

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 18:1484(2), relative to campaign finance; to provide that candidates with opposition shall file campaign finance disclosure reports; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Senate and Governmental Affairs.

SENATE BILL NO. 55—
BY SENATOR JONES

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 18:464(A), relative to elections; to provide for payment of qualifying fee by means of a certified or cashier's check or a money order issued by a credit union; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Senate and Governmental Affairs.

SENATE BILL NO. 56—
BY SENATOR JONES

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 18:1491.6(C)(1)(a) and 1495.4(C)(1)(a), relative to campaign finance; to increase contribution thresholds for special campaign finance disclosure reports; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Senate and Governmental Affairs.

SENATE BILL NO. 57—
BY SENATOR HOLDEN

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 17:176.1, relative to field trips and extracurricular activities; to require that school boards develop policies and procedures effecting bonding and insurance limits relating to travel or booking agents that provide out-of-state travel and lodging arrangements for students; to prohibit school principals from approving certain out-of-state excursions unless in conformity with school board policies and procedures; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Education.

SENATE BILL NO. 58—
BY SENATOR BARHAM

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 40:2010.8(A)(23) and 2010.10, relative to nursing homes; to add to the residents' bill of rights the right to have a copy of the most recent Department of Health and Hospitals annual licensing survey results provided by the facility; to require that the most recent Department of Health and Hospitals annual licensing survey results be provided to all residents, potential residents, and their sponsors; to provide procedure in the case of failure to make such a document available; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Health and Welfare.

SENATE BILL NO. 59—
BY SENATOR FIELDS

AN ACT

To enact Part I-A of Chapter 4 of Title 40 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 40:651 through 656, relative to prescription drugs in the Medicaid program; to enact the Fair Market Drug Pricing Act; to provide legislative findings and purpose; to provide definitions; to provide for negotiated drug discounts and rebates; to establish the Rx Card program; to provide eligibility requirements; to provide for the administration of the program; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Health and Welfare.

SENATE BILL NO. 60—
BY SENATOR FIELDS

AN ACT

To enact Part I-C of Chapter 7 of Title 15 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 15:743 through 749, R.S. 15:1225, and R.S. 36:4(B)(1)(r), relative to wrongfully incarcerated prisoners; to create the Wrongfully Incarcerated Compensation Board; to provide for definitions; to place such board under the administration of the Louisiana Commission on Law Enforcement and Administration of Criminal Justice; to provide for membership of such board; to prohibit compensation for such members; to require payment of per diem and travel expenses for such members; to provide for eligibility of claimants; to provide relative to form of application; to establish time limits of application; to provide for powers and duties of the board; to authorize the promulgation of rules and regulations by the board; to authorize public hearings for determination of compensation; to authorize payment of compensation upon findings by the board that such payment is justified; to authorize emergency awards at the discretion of the board and under certain circumstances; to limit the amount of such emergency awards; to create the Wrongfully Incarcerated Compensation Fund; to create the crime of fraudulent procurement or counseling fraudulent procurement of compensation from the fund and provide penalties for such crime; to authorize payment of attorney fees; to limit the amount of such fees; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Judiciary B.

SENATE BILL NO. 61—
BY SENATOR FIELDS

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 15:574.4(B), relative to parole hearings; to provide for a parole hearing every six years for each prisoner serving a life sentence for a nonviolent offense under certain circumstances; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Judiciary B.

SENATE BILL NO. 62—
BY SENATOR FIELDS

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 15:574.20(A), relative to parole; to provide with respect to medical parole; to require medical parole consideration of inmates determined to be permanently incapacitated or terminally ill; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Judiciary B.

SENATE BILL NO. 63—
BY SENATOR FIELDS

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 13:312(1)(b) and 312.1(A), and to repeal R.S. 13:312.2, relative to court of appeal judges; to provide relative to the number of judges authorized for the First Circuit Court of Appeal; to create and provide for an additional division in each district in the first circuit; to provide for elections in certain districts; to provide for the election and terms of office for such judges; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Judiciary A.

SENATE BILL NO. 64—
BY SENATOR FIELDS

A JOINT RESOLUTION

Proposing to amend Article V, Section 3 and Section 4 of the Constitution of Louisiana, relative to the Judicial Branch; to provide for the composition of the supreme court; to provide for nine supreme court districts; and to specify an election date for submission of the proposition to electors and provide a ballot proposition.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Judiciary A.

SENATE BILL NO. 65—

BY SENATOR FIELDS AND REPRESENTATIVE BOWLER
AN ACT

To amend and reenact Civil Code Articles 90, 891, 1243, 1352, 1724, and 3506(8); Code of Civil Procedure Articles 683(B) and (C), 732(B) and (C), 1732(3) and 4061.1(A)(3) and (C); Children's Code Articles 1106(A), (B), (C), and (D), 1107.5(E)(3)(a), 1132(A), 1141(A)(3), 1193(2) and (4), 1244(B) and (C), and 1281.3(5); Code of Evidence Articles 803(9), (11), and (19), and 804(B)(4)(a); R.S. 9:392(B), 398.2(A)(2) and (F), and 400(A)(6); R.S. 11:403(19), 701(19), 1732(20), 2178(E)(3), 3113(5)(a) and (b), and 3166(E)(2), R.S. 13:2561.4, 2562.4, and 2563.2(B), R.S. 14:78(B), R.S. 17:1685(F), R.S. 23:1021(3), R.S. 29:293(A), R.S. 33:1947(C)(2), R.S. 40:34(B)(1)(a)(iv) and (vii), (B) (1)(h)(vi), and (E)(1), 40(8) and (11), 41(B), 46(A), 46.1(B)(2), and R.S. 46:1802(3); and to repeal R.S. 9:391, 9:400(A)(5), and R.S. 13:914.1, all relative to the status of children; to provide for the change in terminology from "illegitimate child" to "child born outside of marriage" and from "legitimate child" to "child born of marriage;" to provide for the definition of terms; to provide for the correction of cross-references; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Judiciary A.

SENATE BILL NO. 66—
BY SENATOR FIELDS

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 15:574.2(B)(1), relative to parole; to require a majority vote of the parole board members constituting a panel to grant parole; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Judiciary B.

SENATE BILL NO. 67—

BY SENATOR MCPHERSON AND REPRESENTATIVE FARRAR
AN ACT

To enact Part III-H of Title 19 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 19:138 through 138.7, relative to expropriation by municipal corporations; to authorize the city of Pineville to expropriate certain properties for the Susek Drive Project; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Local and Municipal Affairs.

SENATE BILL NO. 68—
BY SENATOR HAINKEL

A JOINT RESOLUTION

Proposing to repeal Article III, Section 4(E) of the Constitution of Louisiana, relative to the terms of office of legislators; to eliminate provisions which limit the number of consecutive terms a member of the Senate may serve in the Senate; to eliminate provisions which limit the number of consecutive terms a member of the House of Representatives may serve in the House of Representatives; and to specify an election for submission of the proposition to electors and provide a ballot proposition.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Senate and Governmental Affairs.

SENATE BILL NO. 69—

BY SENATOR MICHOT

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 24:772(A), relative to distribution of certain reports submitted to the legislature; to require agencies to file an annual report with the legislative auditor indicating their progress in compliance with e-mail notification and electronic copy transmission requirements; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Senate and Governmental Affairs.

SENATE BILL NO. 70—

BY SENATOR THEUNISSEN

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 17:85.5, relative to naming a headstart and community center; to authorize the parish school board in certain parishes to name a headstart and community center in honor of a former educator and community leader; to provide limitations; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Education.

SENATE BILL NO. 71—

BY SENATOR MCPHERSON

AN ACT

To enact Part V-A of Chapter 1 of Title 49 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 49:115, relative to claims against the state; to require legislative approval prior to settlement of certain claims against the state; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Finance.

SENATE BILL NO. 72—

BY SENATOR MCPHERSON

AN ACT

To enact Part V-A of Chapter 1 of Title 49 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 49:115, relative to claims against the state; to provide for notification to the Joint Legislative Committee on the Budget of certain claims against the state; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Finance.

SENATE BILL NO. 73—

BY SENATOR MCPHERSON

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 22:250.43(C), relative to health insurance coverage; to provide with respect to the dental patient's option to choose services regardless of insurance coverage under specific circumstances; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Insurance.

SENATE BILL NO. 74—

BY SENATOR HINES

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 37:1285(A)(32) and Part XIX of Chapter 5 of Title 40 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 40:1299.36 through 1299.36.6, all relative to human cloning; to prohibit the expenditure of state funds for the purpose of human cloning; to provide for definitions; to provide for penalties; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Health and Welfare.

SENATE BILL NO. 75—
BY SENATOR LENTINI

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R. S. 14:63, relative to criminal trespass; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Judiciary C.

SENATE BILL NO. 76—
BY SENATOR LENTINI

A JOINT RESOLUTION

Proposing to amend Section 20 (A)(1) and (2) of Article VII of the Constitution of Louisiana, relative to the homestead exemption from ad valorem taxes; to authorize such exemption for land classified as "use value"; to provide relative to the extension of such exemption to the surviving spouse or child; to extend such exemption to certain property owned by an irrevocable trust; to extend such exemption to certain property where a lifetime usufruct has been granted; to require that such exemption shall extend only to natural persons; and to specify an election for submission of the proposition to electors and provide a ballot proposition.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Revenue and Fiscal Affairs.

SENATE BILL NO. 77—
BY SENATOR FIELDS

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 17:24.4(F)(4)(a) and (G)(4)(a) and (c) and to enact R.S. 17:24.4(H), relative to the Louisiana Competency-Based Education Program and the Louisiana Educational Assessment Program; to provide with regard to the impact of established proficiency levels on certain tests on the progress or graduation of students; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Education.

SENATE BILL NO. 78—
BY SENATOR FIELDS

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 32:1521(J) and (K), relative to transportation of hazardous materials; to prohibit the storing of hazardous materials in transport vehicles near residential areas; to provide for penalties; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Environmental Quality.

SENATE BILL NO. 79—
BY SENATOR DUPRE

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 40:5.5(E)(1), relative to food safety; to provide with respect to the definition of a "food service establishment"; to provide that the definition shall not include food for which no charge is made; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Health and Welfare.

SENATE BILL NO. 80—
BY SENATOR BOISSIERE

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 11:3366, relative to the Firefighters' Pension and Relief Fund in the city of New Orleans; to provide credit for military service during employment; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Retirement.

SENATE BILL NO. 81—
BY SENATOR BOISSIERE

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 11:3384(D), relative to the Firefighters' Pension and Relief Fund in the city of New Orleans; to clarify the years of service credit necessary for receipt of a benefit; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Retirement.

SENATE BILL NO. 82—
BY SENATOR BOISSIERE

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 11:3385.1(G), relative to the New Orleans Firefighters' Pension and Relief Fund; to provide for interest paid on Deferred Retirement Option Plan accounts; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Retirement.

SENATE BILL NO. 83—
BY SENATOR BOISSIERE

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 11:3385.1(A) and (K)(7)(f), relative to the Firefighters' Pension and Relief Fund for the city of New Orleans; to provide with respect to the number of years of creditable service required to participate in the Deferred Retirement Option Plan; to provide with respect to lump sum payments from a member's account balance in the Deferred Retirement Option Plan; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Retirement.

SENATE BILL NO. 84—
BY SENATOR BOISSIERE

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 11:3370(A), 3378(A)(1)(a), (c) through (f), and (h) and (2)(a) through (c), and 3383 (A) and to enact R.S. 11:3380, relative to the Firefighters' Pension and Relief Fund in the city of New Orleans; to provide relative to retirement benefits; to provide for retirement eligibility; to provide for minimum benefits; to provide for the funding of benefits; to provide for benefits for surviving spouses; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Retirement.

SENATE BILL NO. 85—
BY SENATOR BOISSIERE

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 11:3383(A), relative to the New Orleans Firefighters' Pension and Relief Fund; to increase the minimum pension benefit; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Retirement.

SENATE BILL NO. 86—
BY SENATOR BOISSIERE

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 11:3378(A)(1)(a) and (d), relative to the New Orleans Firefighters' Pension and Relief Fund; to increase the minimum survivor benefit for children of members of the New Orleans Firefighters' Pension and Relief Fund; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Retirement.

SENATE BILL NO. 87—
BY SENATOR BOISSIERE

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 11:3384(B), relative to the Firefighters' Pension and Relief Fund in the city of New Orleans; to increase the accrual rate of retirement benefits for members with twenty or more years of service; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Retirement.

SENATE BILL NO. 88—
BY SENATOR BOISSIERE

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 11:3380, relative to the New Orleans Firefighters' Pension and Relief Fund; to provide with respect to retirement eligibility with twenty-five years of service at any age; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Retirement.

SENATE BILL NO. 89—
BY SENATOR BOISSIERE

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 11:3384(B), relative to Firefighters' Pension and Relief Fund in the city of New Orleans; to create a varying schedule of accrual rates of the retirement benefit for members of the fund; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Retirement.

SENATE BILL NO. 90—
BY SENATOR BOISSIERE

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 11:3363(G), relative to local retirement; to provide with respect to the Firefighters' Pension and Relief Fund for the city of New Orleans; to authorize the New Orleans Firefighters Association, Local 632 and the Firefighters' Pension and Relief Fund for the city of New Orleans to negotiate a cooperative endeavor agreement with the city of New Orleans pursuant to the Supreme Court of Louisiana decision in "NEW ORLEANS FIREFIGHTERS LOCAL 632 ET AL. versus THE CITY OF NEW ORLEANS ET AL.," bearing number 00-C-1921 c/w number 00-C-2041; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Retirement.

SENATE BILL NO. 91—
BY SENATOR BOISSIERE

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 13:5102(B), relative to suits against the state; to provide for definitions; to limit liability for corporations or contractors which manage agencies or authorities of the state; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Judiciary A.

SENATE BILL NO. 92—
BY SENATOR LENTINI

AN ACT

To amend and reenact Title 40 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, relative to medical malpractice; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Insurance.

SENATE BILL NO. 93—
BY SENATOR LENTINI

AN ACT

To amend and reenact Title 40 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, relative to medical malpractice; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Health and Welfare.

SENATE BILL NO. 94—
BY SENATOR LENTINI

AN ACT

To amend and reenact the Louisiana Code of Civil Procedure, relative to civil law and procedure; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Judiciary A.

SENATE BILL NO. 95—
BY SENATOR JONES

A JOINT RESOLUTION

Proposing to amend Article XIV, Section 6 of the Constitution of Louisiana, relative to the reorganization of state government; to provide for the allocation of functions, powers and duties of departments in the executive branch; to increase the number of state government executive branch departments; to provide for effectiveness; and to specify an election for submission of the proposition to electors and provide a ballot proposition.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Senate and Governmental Affairs.

SENATE BILL NO. 96—
BY SENATOR MARIONNEAUX

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 24:14(A), relative to Senate confirmation; to provide for removal from office upon expiration of an appointed term; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Senate and Governmental Affairs.

SENATE BILL NO. 97—
BY SENATOR ADLEY (By Request)

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 37:2301, 2302(2) and (3), 2303(A)(5), 2308, 2309(B), (D), (G), (H), (K) and (L), 2313(A)(2)(d) and (e), and 2317(B) relative to the maintenance and repair of citizen band radios; to repeal requirements that a person must be licensed by the Louisiana State Radio and Technicians Board in order to repair a citizen band radio; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Commerce, Consumer Protection and International Affairs.

SENATE BILL NO. 98—
BY SENATOR FIELDS

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 13:992.1(D), relative to judicial expense funds of district courts; to provide relative to the building fund of the Nineteenth Judicial District; to provide relative to the construction of a new facility in such district; to extend the time limit for accepting bids for such facility; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Judiciary A.

SENATE BILL NO. 99—

BY SENATOR HOLDEN

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 56:1847(8), relative to the Louisiana Scenic Rivers Act; to exempt a certain portion of the Comite River in East Baton Rouge Parish from the provisions of the Act; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Natural Resources.

SENATE BILL NO. 100—

BY SENATOR MCPHERSON

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 11:883.1(C)(5)(a)(iii), relative Teachers' Retirement System of Louisiana; to provide with respect to cost of living adjustment for certain retirees; to authorize a one-time cost-of-living adjustment for retirees with twenty-five years of service credit, inclusive of unused leave; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Retirement.

SENATE BILL NO. 101—

BY SENATOR CHAISSON

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 13:352(C), and to enact R.S. 13:352(D), relative to expenses of judges of courts of appeal; to eliminate provisions which authorize the use of the balance of filing fees in the courts of appeal to be used for reimbursement of expenses; to authorize an unvouchered expense allowance from such funds; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Judiciary A.

SENATE BILL NO. 102—

BY SENATOR CHAISSON

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 13:124, relative to the Supreme Court of Louisiana; to provide for the expenditure of the balance of fees collected by the clerk; to provide that fund balances may be used to defray the expense of employment benefits, including dental insurance; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Judiciary A.

SENATE BILL NO. 103—

BY SENATOR DUPRE

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 14:98(D)(1)(a), (c), and (e) and (E)(1)(a), (c), and (e) and to enact R.S. 15:571.3(C)(6) and (7), relative to operating a vehicle while intoxicated; to increase the length of mandatory imprisonment for third, fourth, and subsequent offenses; to prohibit diminution of sentence for such terms of imprisonment; to require additional outpatient substance abuse treatment for such offenders; to authorize the treating physician of such offenders to determine the intensity of such treatment; to authorize the courts to impose immediate sanctions on such offenders during home incarceration; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Judiciary C.

SENATE BILL NO. 104—

BY SENATOR DUPRE

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 17:3048.1(A)(1)(e)(xii)(bb), relative to the Tuition Opportunity Program for Students; to provide relative to the required core curriculum for students to qualify for an Opportunity, Performance, or Honors award; to reduce

the increase in the required units in Computer Science, Computer Literacy, or Business Computer Applications; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Education.

SENATE BILL NO. 105—

BY SENATOR DUPRE

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 56:2(D), relative to wildlife and fisheries; to provide relative to the Wildlife and Fisheries Commission; to provide for the elections of the chairman and vice-chairman; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Natural Resources.

SENATE BILL NO. 106—

BY SENATOR DUPRE

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 44:3(I), relative to criminal history records; to provide relative to public records; to provide for the accessibility of records of criminal convictions through the Louisiana Bureau of Criminal Identification and Information or any law enforcement agency; to provide for a charge to be assessed; to limit liability for any law enforcement agency furnishing such records; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Judiciary C.

SENATE BILL NO. 107—

BY SENATOR N. GAUTREAUX

AN ACT

To amend Civil Code Arts. 3494(3), (4), and (5) and 3497, relative to liberative prescription; to increase the liberative prescriptive period of an action on money lent; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Judiciary A.

SENATE BILL NO. 108—

BY SENATOR HAINKEL

A JOINT RESOLUTION

Proposing to add Article VIII, Section 10.1 of the Constitution of Louisiana; to provide for the appointment of the Orleans Parish School Board; to provide an initial appointment procedure and initial terms for such appointees; to provide for terms; to provide for a nomination and appointment procedure; to provide for the filling of vacancies; and to specify an election for submission of the proposition to electors and provide a ballot proposition.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Education.

SENATE BILL NO. 109—

BY SENATOR HAINKEL

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 48:35(F) and to enact R.S. 13:5106(F) and R.S. 48:35(J), relative to limitation of public liability; to provide relative to liability of the state and its political subdivisions for public roads; to provide for the failure to wear safety restraint while driving on public roads; to provide for persons driving while intoxicated on public roads; to specify the evidentiary admissibility and effect of failure to wear seat belts in actions against the state; to provide for minimum safety standards of highway design, maintenance, and construction and the prioritization and liability of the state and its political subdivisions for such standards; to exempt the state and its political subdivisions from liability for things of which it does not have custody; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Judiciary A.

SENATE BILL NO. 110—

BY SENATOR HOLDEN

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 17:10.1(C), relative to school and district accountability; to prohibit the inclusion of certain data in any school district accountability system which is based on the results of tests given to students in alternative schools as part of the Louisiana Educational Assessment Program; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Education.

SENATE BILL NO. 111—

BY SENATOR HOLLIS

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 14:99.1, relative to traffic control devices; to prohibit the possession, use, sale, or purchase of portable signal preemption devices by certain persons; to provide for criminal penalties; to provide for exceptions; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Transportation, Highways, and Public Works.

SENATE BILL NO. 112—

BY SENATOR HOLLIS

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 13:3881(D)(3), relative to judicial procedure; to provide for certain exemptions from seizure by creditors; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Judiciary A.

SENATE BILL NO. 113—

BY SENATOR HOLLIS

AN ACT

To repeal R.S. 38:2212(A)(3)(g), relative to public contracts; to repeal requirement that contracts providing construction management services to a public entity for public work must be advertised and awarded through a competitive bid process; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Transportation, Highways, and Public Works.

SENATE BILL NO. 114—

BY SENATOR JONES

A JOINT RESOLUTION

Proposing to repeal Article III, Section 4(E) of the Constitution of Louisiana, relative to the terms of office of legislators; to eliminate provisions which limit the number of consecutive terms a member of the Senate may serve in the Senate; to eliminate provisions which limit the number of consecutive terms a member of the House of Representatives may serve in the House of Representatives; and to specify an election for submission of the proposition to electors and provide a ballot proposition.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Senate and Governmental Affairs.

SENATE BILL NO. 115—

BY SENATOR JONES

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 15:901(D)(1), 906 and 908(A) and Children's Code Articles 801, the introductory paragraph of 897(A), 897(B)(1)(c), the introductory paragraph of 897(C), 897(D) and (E), 897.1, 898(B) and (C)(2) and (4), and 909, and to repeal Children's Code Article 901(E), relative to delinquency; to provide with respect to disposition hearings; to provide relative to mandatory sentences for certain felony-grade delinquent acts; to provide that the disposition for certain offenses shall be subject to benefit of parole, probation, suspension of imposition or execution of sentence, modification, or furlough; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Judiciary C.

SENATE BILL NO. 116—

BY SENATOR MCPHERSON

AN ACT

To enact Chapter 8-K of Title 45 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 45:844.41 through 844.45, relative to electronic mail solicitation; to provide for a "no junk mail" listing of residential and business Internet electronic mail subscribers; to provide for listing procedures; to prohibit certain acts; to provide for notification; to provide for penalties for violations; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Commerce, Consumer Protection and International Affairs.

SENATE BILL NO. 117—

BY SENATOR MCPHERSON

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 56:39, relative to wildlife violations; to provide an additional penalty for violations involving wildlife; to provide for the collection, deposit, and use of funds derived from the additional penalty; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Judiciary C.

SENATE BILL NO. 118—

BY SENATOR MCPHERSON

AN ACT

To amend and reenact the introductory paragraph of R.S. 36:801 and to enact R.S. 36:610(J) and Subpart I-1 of Part I of Chapter 2 of Title 56 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 56:799.1 through 799.4, relative to the White Lake Property Fund; to create the White Lake Property Fund in the state treasury as a fund within the Louisiana Wildlife and Fisheries Conservation Fund; to provide for deposits of monies into the fund; to provide for investment and uses of monies in the fund; to create the White Lake Property Advisory Board; to provide for its domicile, membership, and duties; to authorize the board to solicit and accept donations; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Natural Resources.

SENATE BILL NO. 119—

BY SENATOR MCPHERSON

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 37:2504(G), relative to the Louisiana Board of Examiners of Nursing Facility Administrators; to authorize the board to purchase property and office space and to incur debt in such purchase; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Health and Welfare.

SENATE BILL NO. 120—
BY SENATOR MCPHERSON

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 56:1847(58), (59), (60), (61), (62), and (63), relative to state natural and scenic rivers; to include certain waters within the state natural and scenic rivers system; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Natural Resources.

SENATE BILL NO. 121—
BY SENATOR JONES

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 18:424(E) and 425(E), relative to compensation of election commissioners; to provide for additional compensation of commissioners; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Senate and Governmental Affairs.

SENATE BILL NO. 122—
BY SENATOR MICHOT

AN ACT

To amend and reenact the introductory paragraph of R.S. 9:2790.4(A) and 2790.9(1) and (2), relative to the Uniform Fraudulent Transfer Act; to clarify when a fraudulent transfer or obligation occurs; to provide for the extinguishment of a cause of action; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Judiciary C.

SENATE BILL NO. 123—
BY SENATOR MICHOT

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 9:3571.1(C), relative to credit reporting agencies; to require credit reporting agencies to maintain certain procedures concerning disputes; to require the credit reporting agency to maintain a toll-free telephone number; to require that the toll-free telephone number be answered by a live person; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Commerce, Consumer Protection and International Affairs.

SENATE BILL NO. 124—
BY SENATOR MICHOT

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 39:1593.1(A), relative to group purchasing contracts of the Louisiana State University Health Sciences Center; to require certain Louisiana distributors be included in certain group purchasing contracts; to provide for exclusion; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Health and Welfare.

SENATE BILL NO. 125—
BY SENATOR ULLO AND REPRESENTATIVE CRANE
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 15:587.1(E), relative to Louisiana Child Protection Act; to provide that a nonpublic entity shall comply with the provisions of the Louisiana Child Protection Act; to provide that the head of any nonpublic entity who fails to comply with the provision of the Louisiana Child Protection Act shall be fined; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Judiciary A.

SENATE BILL NO. 126—
BY SENATOR ULLO

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 24:511(E), relative to the legislative auditor; to authorize the legislative auditor to appoint a first assistant; to provide that the legislative auditor shall establish the salary, duties and authority of the first assistant legislative auditor; to provide for the first assistant legislative auditor to serve as acting legislative auditor in absence of the legislative auditor or vacancy in the office of the legislative auditor; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Senate and Governmental Affairs.

SENATE BILL NO. 127—
BY SENATOR MARIONNEAUX

AN ACT

To amend and reenact Code of Civil Procedure Art. 1732(1), relative to limitation on jury trials; to increase the monetary threshold necessary to request a jury trial; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Judiciary A.

SENATE BILL NO. 128—
BY SENATOR N. GAUTREAUX

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 40:1498(A), relative to the Fire Protection District No. 7 of Vermilion Parish; to provide with respect to compensation for certain officers of the governing board; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Local and Municipal Affairs.

SENATE BILL NO. 129—
BY SENATOR THEUNISSEN

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 33:9055(B), relative to the Cameron Parish Ambulance Service District No. 2; to provide with respect to the board membership; to increase the membership on the board from five members to six members; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Local and Municipal Affairs.

SENATE BILL NO. 130—
BY SENATOR HAINKEL

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 33:1448(G), relative to group insurance for sheriffs and deputy sheriffs; to remove the requirement that the sheriff of any parish with a population of between one hundred thousand and one hundred two thousand pay certain premium costs of specified group insurance for certain retired officials and employees; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Insurance.

SENATE BILL NO. 131—
BY SENATOR MOUNT

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 33:9028.25, relative to special districts; to authorize the governing authority of the city of Lake Charles to create a special taxing district and political subdivision of the state in order to fund a hotel; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Revenue and Fiscal Affairs.

SENATE BILL NO. 132—

BY SENATOR HOLLIS

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 37:2805(B)(1)(f) and (g), and (E), and 2808 and to repeal R.S. 37:2805(G), relative to chiropractors; to provide for certain licensure requirements; to provide for reciprocity licenses; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Commerce, Consumer Protection and International Affairs.

SENATE BILL NO. 133—

BY SENATOR FIELDS

AN ACT

To enact Part III of Chapter 29 of Title 33 of the Louisiana Revised Statute of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 33:9097.1, relative to crime prevention and security districts in East Baton Rouge Parish; to create the Concord Estates Crime Prevention District; to provide relative to the purposes, governance, duties, and authority of the district; to authorize the governing authority of East Baton Rouge Parish, subject to the approval of district voters; to impose a parcel fee within the district and to provide relative to such fee; to provide relative to funds of the district; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Local and Municipal Affairs.

SENATE BILL NO. 134—

BY SENATOR FIELDS

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 45:570, relative to railroads; to prohibit operation of a locomotive by remote control; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Transportation, Highways, and Public Works.

SENATE BILL NO. 135—

BY SENATOR FIELDS

AN ACT

To enact Subpart A-1 of Part II of Chapter 3 of Title 46 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 46:235.1 through 235.4, relative to at-home infant care; to provide for findings and purpose; to provide definitions; to provide qualification for the program; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Health and Welfare.

SENATE BILL NO. 136—

BY SENATOR FIELDS

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 17:3911(B)(1)(k) and to enact R.S. 17:3911(B)(1)(l), (m), (n), (o), and (p), relative to school accountability; to provide for the release of certain school or district level data; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Education.

SENATE BILL NO. 137—

BY SENATOR FIELDS

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 51:1421(D), relative to deceptive and unfair trade practices; to require the Department of Economic Development to provide certain notices to retail businesses; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Commerce, Consumer Protection and International Affairs.

SENATE BILL NO. 138—

BY SENATOR SCHEDLER

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 13:2575.2, relative to administrative adjudication procedures and judicial reviews of code violations in the parish of St. Tammany; to provide additional administrative adjudication procedures in St. Tammany Parish; to provide additional judicial review procedures in St. Tammany Parish; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Local and Municipal Affairs.

SENATE BILL NO. 139—

BY SENATOR SCHEDLER

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 15:574.2(B)(1), relative to the vote required to grant parole; to provide for a vote of the full board in certain cases; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Judiciary B.

SENATE BILL NO. 140—

BY SENATOR BAJOE

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 40:1300.51(2) and (3), relative to those employed to care for the infirm; to provide for criminal background checks on those seeking employment at agencies that care for the infirm; to provide a bar to employment in these agencies of persons convicted of certain offenses; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Labor and Industrial Relations.

Motion

Senator Bajoie moved that the Senate proceed to the House of Representatives to meet in Joint Session.

Joint Session of the Legislature

The joint session of the legislature was called to order at 1:00 P.M. by the Honorable Don Hines, President of the Senate.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the calling of the roll on the part of the Senate was dispensed with.

On motion of Representative Broome, the calling of the roll on the part of the House was dispensed with.

The President of the Senate appointed the following special committee to escort the Honorable Kathleen Babineaux Blanco, Governor of the State of Louisiana, to the joint session.

On the part of the Senate: Senators Hollis, Amedee, Smith, Theunissen, Fields, and Holden.

On the part of the House: Representatives Baudoin, Burns, Jackson, Gary Smith, and Marchand.

The President of the Senate introduced the Honorable Kathleen Babineaux Blanco, who addressed the joint session of the legislature.

On motion of Senator Heitmeier, the Senate retired to its own chamber.

After Joint Session**ROLL CALL**

The Senate was called to order by the President of the Senate with the following Senators present:

PRESENT

Mr. President	Dupre	Kostelka
Adley	Ellington	Lentini
Amedee	Fields	Malone
Bajoie	Fontenot	Marionneaux
Barham	Gautreaux, B	McPherson
Boasso	Gautreaux, N	Michot
Boissiere	Hainkel	Mount
Cain	Heitmeier	Nevers
Chaisson	Holden	Romero
Cheek	Hollis	Schedler
Cravins	Irons	Smith
Dardenne	Jackson	Theunissen
Duplessis	Jones	Ullio

Total—39

ABSENT

Total—0

The President of the Senate announced there were 39 Senators present and a quorum.

**Senate Business Resumed
After Joint Session**

**Prefiled Senate Bills and
Joint Resolutions to be Referred, Resumed**

The following prefiled Senate Bills and Joint Resolutions were read by title and referred to committees.

**SENATE BILL NO. 141—
BY SENATOR CAIN**

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 33:4574.1 (A)(1)(a)(i) and (K), relative to municipalities and parishes; to provide for the allocation of funds derived from existing hotel/motel taxes currently levied by the Calcasieu Parish governing authority and collected from facilities located in Ward 2, 6 or 7 which become operational after July 1, 2004; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Local and Municipal Affairs.

**SENATE BILL NO. 142—
BY SENATOR BOISSIERE**

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 33:4094.1(C), relative to the city of New Orleans; to extend the authorization for a voter-approved drainage tax within the city; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Local and Municipal Affairs.

**SENATE BILL NO. 143—
BY SENATORS DUPRE AND DUPLESSIS**

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 35:12(D), relative to notaries public; to provide relative to the required use of identification numbers on notarized documents; to exempt out-of-state notaries public from such requirement; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Judiciary A.

**SENATE BILL NO. 144—
BY SENATOR ELLINGTON**

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 33:2344(B) and 2345(E), relative to police; to provide for changes to the Law Enforcement Executive Management Institute; to provide for an exception to the training requirements; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Judiciary C.

**SENATE BILL NO. 145—
BY SENATOR ELLINGTON**

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 9:2795.4(A)(3) and (F), relative to limitation of liability; to provide relative to motorized off-road vehicle activities; to increase the weight limitation on vehicles involved in such activities; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Transportation, Highways, and Public Works.

**SENATE BILL NO. 146—
BY SENATOR ELLINGTON**

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 9:2801.2, relative to partition of community property; to provide for the valuation of goodwill as an asset in the partition of community property for certain businesses; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Judiciary A.

**SENATE BILL NO. 147—
BY SENATOR ELLINGTON**

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 34:855.3(E), relative to personal water craft; to increase the age that a person may operate a personal water craft from thirteen to sixteen years of age; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Transportation, Highways, and Public Works.

**SENATE BILL NO. 148—
BY SENATOR ELLINGTON**

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 3:3654(E)(5) and (7), relative to security devices affecting farm products; to provide relative to financing statements for farm products; to provide certain requirements for the amendment and expiration of such statements; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Agriculture, Forestry, Aquaculture and Rural Development.

**SENATE BILL NO. 149—
BY SENATOR BAJOIE**

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 22:1386(A), relative to the Insurance Guaranty Association Law; to provide for nonduplication of recovery; to provide for an exception to coverage under self-insured certificates offered through the state; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Insurance.

SENATE BILL NO. 150—
BY SENATOR JONES**AN ACT**

To enact R.S. 18:1300.24, relative to gaming elections; to authorize the municipality of Richwood in Ouachita Parish to call and conduct a referendum election on a proposition to allow the operation of video draw poker devices in the municipality; to provide for the procedures for the calling and conducting of such election; to provide for the effectiveness of the results of the election; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Judiciary B.

SENATE BILL NO. 151—
BY SENATOR JONES**AN ACT**

To amend and reenact R.S. 14:95(E), relative to the illegal carrying of weapons; to provide relative to an offender using a firearm or dangerous weapon while committing a crime of violence or in immediate control of a controlled dangerous substance; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Judiciary C.

SENATE BILL NO. 152—
BY SENATOR MARIONNEAUX**AN ACT**

To amend and reenact the introductory paragraph of R.S. 32:387.7(A), 387.7(A)(3) and (B), and the introductory paragraph of R.S. 32:387.9, 387.9(3) and (5), and to enact R.S. 32:387.7(A)(5) and 387.9(6), relative to special permits; to provide for the issuance of special sugarcane and agronomic or horticultural permits to operators of vehicles; to provide for the specificity of such permits; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Transportation, Highways, and Public Works.

SENATE BILL NO. 153—
BY SENATOR ADLEY**AN ACT**

To amend and reenact R.S. 18:541 and 542, relative to time for voting; to provide for the time for opening and closing of the polls; to provide for termination of voting; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Senate and Governmental Affairs.

SENATE BILL NO. 154—
BY SENATOR MOUNT**AN ACT**

To amend and reenact Children's Code Art. 685(B), relative to the care and treatment of children; to provide relative to children committed to custody other than that of their parents; to provide relative to the payment of care and treatment of such children by the state; to authorize reimbursement for federal funding provided for such care and treatment; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Health and Welfare.

SENATE BILL NO. 155—
BY SENATOR N. GAUTREAUX**AN ACT**

To enact R.S. 40:5.5(H), relative to food safety certificates; to provide for exemptions for any parish council on aging; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Health and Welfare.

SENATE BILL NO. 156—
BY SENATOR DUPRE**AN ACT**

To amend and reenact R.S. 49:214.38, and to enact Part II-B of Chapter 2 of Title 49 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, consisting of R.S. 49:214.52 through 214.60, inclusive, relative to coastal wetlands conservation, management, preservation, enhancement, creation and restoration; to provide relative to barrier islands; to provide relative to expropriation of certain property; to authorize and provide certain procedures for expropriation by declaration of taking; to provide relative to authority and procedures by the state Department of Natural Resources; to set forth certain terms, conditions, and procedures for proceedings; to provide an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Natural Resources.

SENATE BILL NO. 157—
BY SENATORS CAIN, IRONS, ADLEY, BAJOIE, MICHOT, SMITH AND KOSTELKA**AN ACT**

To amend and reenact R.S. 22:253(A) and to enact R.S. 22:253(A)(1) and (2); relative to funeral policies and burial insurance; to provide for payment of benefits to policy holders; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Insurance.

SENATE BILL NO. 158—
BY SENATOR DUPRE**A JOINT RESOLUTION**

Proposing to amend Section 20 (A)(1) and (2) of Article VII of the Constitution of Louisiana, relative to the homestead exemption from ad valorem taxes; to authorize such exemption for land classified as "use value"; to provide relative to the extension of such exemption to the surviving spouse or child; to extend such exemption to certain property owned by an irrevocable trust; to extend such exemption to certain property where a lifetime usufruct has been granted; to require that such exemption shall extend only to natural persons; and to specify an election for submission of the proposition to electors and provide a ballot proposition.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Revenue and Fiscal Affairs.

SENATE BILL NO. 159—
BY SENATORS KOSTELKA AND FONTENOT**AN ACT**

To enact Civil Code Art. 3520(C), relative to civil unions, domestic partnerships, or similar relationships of other states; to prohibit the recognition of certain civil unions, domestic partnerships, or similar relationships in this state; to prohibit such persons from asserting a right or claim provided under state law to married persons; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Judiciary A.

SENATE BILL NO. 160—
BY SENATOR HAINKEL**AN ACT**

To repeal R.S. 56:1855(K), relative to natural and scenic rivers; to provide relative to exceptions; to repeal the exception authorizing certain commercial or suburban agricultural zoning exemptions for tracts of land located along the Tchefuncte River between Louisiana Highway No. 22 and Lake Pontchartrain; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Natural Resources.

SENATE BILL NO. 161—

BY SENATOR B. GAUTREAU

AN ACT

To enact Part X-A of Chapter 16 of Title 3 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 3:2359.1 through 2359.9, relative to the Louisiana Aquatic Chelonian Research and Promotion Board; to provide for definitions; to provide for the composition, powers, and duties of the board; to provide for the powers of the commissioner of agriculture and forestry; to provide for a referendum for imposition of assessments and authorization for certain activities; to provide for the collection and disbursement of assessments; to provide for violations and penalties; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Agriculture, Forestry, Aquaculture and Rural Development.

SENATE BILL NO. 162—

BY SENATOR HOLDEN

AN ACT

To enact Chapter 6-A of Title 23 of the Louisiana Revised Statute of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 23:665 through 676, relative to employment; to provide with respect to payment of wages; to provide for definitions; to provide for department duties; to provide for payment of wages; to provide for payment after termination of employment; to provide for payment of commission and bonuses; to provide for form of payment; to provide for delivery of payment; to provide for deduction from wages; to provide for criminal penalties; to provide for security for wage payments; to provide for wage claims; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Labor and Industrial Relations.

SENATE BILL NO. 163—

BY SENATOR CAIN (BY REQUEST)

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 15:89(A) and (B), relative to bond forfeiture; to provide for prescription of bond forfeiture judgments; to provide for the time in which prescription begins; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Judiciary C.

SENATE BILL NO. 164—

BY SENATOR N. GAUTREAU

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 14:91.1(A), relative to sexually violent predators; to provide that sexually violent predators remain at least one thousand feet away from certain locations; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Judiciary C.

SENATE BILL NO. 165—

BY SENATOR CAIN

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 15:85(7), (10), and (11)(a) and (b), relative to bail bonds; to provide procedures for enforcement and collection of judgments of bond forfeitures; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Judiciary C.

SENATE BILL NO. 166—

BY SENATORS HAINKEL, ADLEY, BARHAM, ELLINGTON, KOSTELKA, MICHOT, NEVERS, SCHEDLER AND SMITH

A JOINT RESOLUTION

Proposing to add Article XII, Section 15 of the Constitution of Louisiana, relative to marriage; to create the Defense of Marriage Act; to provide for the effect of any action creating a same-sex marriage; to prohibit the effect of any right or claim arising from such relationship; and to specify an election for submission of the proposition to electors and provide a ballot proposition.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Judiciary A.

SENATE BILL NO. 167—

BY SENATOR HOLLIS

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 6:966(D), (E), (F), and (J) relative to procedure for repossession of certain collateral following default; to allow the secured party to obtain possession of certain collateral following the issuance of a court order; to require the secured party to file an affidavit and certain exhibits with the court evidencing the default; to require the seized collateral to be sold at sheriff sale; to allow the secured party to recover a deficiency after giving the debtor credit following said sale; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Commerce, Consumer Protection and International Affairs.

SENATE BILL NO. 168—

BY SENATOR KOSTELKA

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 13:5106(B)(1) and (2), relative to limitation of liability; to provide for the limitation of liability in suits against the state, a state agency, or political subdivision for personal injury or death; to provide for the total amount recoverable by all parties to the suit; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Judiciary A.

SENATE BILL NO. 169—

BY SENATOR IRONS

AN ACT

To amend and reenact Children's Code Articles 607(A) and 1016(B), relative to the protection of children; to provide with respect to right to counsel for children in the custody of the state; to provide for qualified counsel in child protection proceedings in accordance with federal Child Abuse Prevention and Treatment Act requirements; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Judiciary A.

SENATE BILL NO. 170—

BY SENATORS DUPRE, ADLEY, B. GAUTREAU, MICHOT AND MOUNT AND REPRESENTATIVES BALDONE AND DOVE

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 49:214.41(A)(4), (B), and (G), and 214.42(C) and (D), relative to coastal conservation, restoration and management; to provide relative to mitigation of coastal wetland losses; to provide terms, conditions, procedures, and consideration of certain factors; to authorize certain monetary mitigation; to provide relative to the Coastal Mitigation Account; to provide relative to funds and uses thereof; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Natural Resources.

SENATE BILL NO. 171—
BY SENATOR DUPRE

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:1832 (A), relative to the tax commission; to provide for the membership of such commission; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Senate and Governmental Affairs.

SENATE BILL NO. 172—

BY SENATORS DUPRE, ADLEY, B. GAUTREAUX, MICHOT AND MOUNT, AND REPRESENTATIVES BALDONE AND DOVE

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 49:214.41(A)(4), (B), (E), and (G), and 214.42(C) and (D), relative to coastal conservation, restoration and management; to provide relative to mitigation of coastal wetlands losses; to provide terms, conditions, procedures, and consideration of certain factors; to authorize certain self-mitigation by a public body; to authorize certain monetary mitigation; to provide relative to the Coastal Mitigation Account; to provide relative to funds and uses thereof; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Natural Resources.

SENATE BILL NO. 173—

BY SENATOR DUPRE AND REPRESENTATIVES BURNS, DOVE AND FUTRELL

AN ACT

To enact Subpart A of Part XI of Chapter 1 of Title 48 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 48:194, all relative to state highways; to create the State Highway Construction Fund as a special fund in the state treasury; to provide for the deposit of monies into the fund; to provide for the uses of the monies in the fund; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Transportation, Highways, and Public Works.

SENATE BILL NO. 174—

BY SENATOR DUPRE

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 17:3048.1(A)(1)(e)(xii), to provide relative to Tuition Opportunity Program for Students high school core curriculum requirements for certain awards; to provide for applicability; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Education.

SENATE BILL NO. 175—

BY SENATOR MICHOT

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 37:2150, 2150.1(4)(a), 2156.1(C), (F), and (H), 2156.2(D), and 2159(D) and to enact R.S. 37:2150.1(4)(e), (f), (g), and (h) and 2156.1(M), relative to the state Licensing Board for Contractors; to provide for legislative intent; to provide for licensure and regulation of persons who perform heating, ventilation, air conditioning, and refrigeration work; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Commerce, Consumer Protection and International Affairs.

SENATE BILL NO. 176—
BY SENATOR HAINKEL

AN ACT

To enact Chapter 1-D of Title 13 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 13:65.1 through 65.16, and to repeal Subpart D of Part VII of Chapter 5 of Title 18 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, comprised of R.S. 18:621, relative to judges; to create judicial nominating commissions to make nominations for the selection of judges; to provide for the membership, terms, duties, and functions of such commissions; to provide for appointments from such nominations; to provide that appointees shall be confirmed by the Senate; to provide for a district court nominating commission; to provide for an appellate court nominating commission; to provide for a supreme court nominating commission; to provide for restrictions for members of a nominating commission; to provide for definitions; to provide for the manner in which a vacancy in the office of a judge will be filled; to provide for implementation; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Judiciary A.

SENATE BILL NO. 177—

BY SENATOR HAINKEL

AN ACT

To amend and reenact Chapters 8 and 9 of Title II of Book III of the Civil Code, comprising Articles 1734 through 1750, and 1754 through 1755, to enact Chapter 8 of Title II of Book III of the Civil Code, comprising Article 1734, relative to donations made by marriage contract by third persons to future spouses or to future spouses and their children and donations made between future or present spouses; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Judiciary A.

SENATE BILL NO. 178—

BY SENATOR HAINKEL

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 22:614.1, relative to statutory life insurance beneficiaries; to provide certain procedures and conditions; to authorize actions by certain entities; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Insurance.

SENATE BILL NO. 179—

BY SENATOR HAINKEL

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 22:614.1, relative to statutory life insurance beneficiaries; to provide certain terms, procedures and conditions; to authorize the adoption of certain regulations by the Department of Insurance; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Insurance.

SENATE BILL NO. 180—

BY SENATORS N. GAUTREAUX, ADLEY AND NEVERS

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 11:62(5)(b) and 444(A), and to enact R.S. 11:602(C), relative to the Louisiana State Employees' Retirement System; to provide with respect to the employee contribution rate for public safety services employees; to provide with respect to retirement benefits for public safety services employees who are in the primary component; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Retirement.

SENATE BILL NO. 181—

BY SENATOR HINES

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 37:2356(G), relative to psychology; to provide with respect to the maintenance of certain records by the State Board of Examiners of Psychologists; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Health and Welfare.

SENATE BILL NO. 182—

BY SENATOR LENTINI

(On Recommendations of the Louisiana State Law Institute)

AN ACT

To enact Civil Code Article 870.1 and to repeal Civil Code Arts. 1493(E) and 1582.1, Code of Civil Procedure Art. 3154.1, and R.S. 9:2440, relative to the different modes of acquiring the ownership of things; to provide with respect to legal usufructs; to provide relative to the validity of testaments; to provide relative to witness to testaments; to provide relative to forced heirs; to provide relative to security of legal usufructuaries; to provide for the validity of testaments after a subsequent change in the law; to provide for permanently incapable persons as forced heirs; to provide for spouses as witnesses to testaments; to provide for transitional rules; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Judiciary A.

SENATE BILL NO. 183—

BY SENATOR FIELDS

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 15:765 and R.S. 39:1756, relative to telecommunication services at correctional facilities; to provide relative to telecommunication services used by inmates at such facilities; to provide relative to negotiation of contracts for such usage; to require that such contracts be awarded to the lowest bidder; to prohibit financial profit to the state or any governmental entity from such contracts; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Commerce, Consumer Protection and International Affairs.

SENATE BILL NO. 184—

BY SENATOR FIELDS

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 18:104.1, relative to registration of voters; to provide with respect to eligibility to vote; to provide for election day registration; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Senate and Governmental Affairs.

SENATE BILL NO. 185—

BY SENATOR LENTINI

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 22:1404.3, relative to bail bonds; to provide for premiums on criminal bail bonds; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Insurance.

SENATE BILL NO. 186—

BY SENATOR MCPHERSON

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 9:4502 (A)(1), relative to privileges on movables; to provide relative to the privilege for making or repairing movable goods; to provide relative to marine vessels,

trailers, and equipment; to provide for remedy for debt due on such items; and to provide for related matters

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Judiciary A.

SENATE BILL NO. 187—

BY SENATORS ULLO, MCPHERSON AND DUPRE

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 56:805, relative to wildlife and fisheries; to provide relative to Elmer's Island; to provide certain terms, conditions and procedures; to authorize certain fees; to provide an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Natural Resources.

SENATE BILL NO. 188—

BY SENATOR NEVERS

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 11:3038(C) and 3044, relative to the City of Bogalusa Retirement System; to provide with respect to retirement benefits; to increase the maximum service retirement annuity; to increase employee contributions; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Retirement.

SENATE BILL NO. 189—

BY SENATOR CHEEK

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 40:4.12, relative to public health and safety; to provide alternate procedures for identification of potable and nonpotable water distribution equipment, piping, and outlets at certain facilities; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Health and Welfare.

SENATE BILL NO. 190—

BY SENATOR LENTINI

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 9:203, relative to marriage officiants, judges and justices of the peace; to extend the authority for a federal judge to preside over a marriage ceremony until December, 2004; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Judiciary A.

SENATE BILL NO. 191—

BY SENATORS IRONS AND DUPRE

AN ACT

To repeal R.S. 39:1220(A)(2), relative to local agencies; to remove certain limits on the amount of deposit to a financial institution; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Commerce, Consumer Protection and International Affairs.

SENATE BILL NO. 192—

BY SENATORS N. GAUTREAUX, ADLEY, AMEDEE, BOASSO, CAIN, CRAVINS DUPRE, ELLINGTON, HINES, JONES KOSTELKA, MCPHERSON, NEVERS, ROMERO AND SMITH

A JOINT RESOLUTION

Proposing to amend Article VIII, Section 7.1 and to add Article VIII, Section 7.2 of the Constitution of Louisiana, relative to the jurisdiction, management, and supervision of public postsecondary institutions and programs of vocational-technical training; to create and provide for a system and management board for such institutions and programs separate from the

system and management board regarding community colleges; to provide with regard to the jurisdiction of the system and the powers and duties of the management board; to provide for the membership, terms, and initial membership of the management board, to provide for vacancies on the board; to provide for the transition of the institutions and programs; and to specify an election for submission of the proposition to electors and provide a ballot proposition.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Education.

SENATE BILL NO. 193—

BY SENATOR BAJOIE

AN ACT

To enact Chapter 3 of Title 28 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 28:311 through 312, relative to children's mental health services; to provide for the creation of a pilot program for a system of care for the delivery of children's mental health services; to provide for the establishment of the Louisiana Youth Enhanced Services consortium; to provide for membership in the consortium; to provide for the jurisdiction of the consortium; to provide guidelines and principles to be used in preparing such a plan; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Health and Welfare.

SENATE BILL NO. 194—

BY SENATOR FONTENOT AND REPRESENTATIVE WHITE

A JOINT RESOLUTION

Proposing to amend Article VIII, Section 13(D)(1) of the Constitution of Louisiana, to provide that for certain effects and purposes the Central community school system in East Baton Rouge Parish shall be regarded and treated as a parish and shall have the authority granted parishes, including the purposes of funding and the raising of certain local revenues for the support of elementary and secondary schools; to provide for submission of the proposed amendment to the electors; and to specify an election for submission of the proposition to electors and provide a ballot proposition.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Education.

SENATE BILL NO. 195—

BY SENATOR SMITH

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 32:386(A) and (D), and the introductory paragraph of 388(B)(1)(a), and to enact R.S. 32:388(B)(1)(b)(iv), relative to weight and load of vehicles; to provide for a weight variance for certain vehicles which transport forestry products; to provide exemption from penalty under certain circumstances; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Transportation, Highways, and Public Works.

SENATE BILL NO. 196—

BY SENATOR SMITH

AN ACT

To amend and reenact the introductory paragraph of R.S. 32:388(B)(1)(a), and to enact R.S. 32:388(B)(1)(b)(iv), relative to weight and load of vehicles; to provide relative to penalties for over-axle weight violations on certain vehicles which transport forestry products; to provide limitations under certain circumstances; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Transportation, Highways, and Public Works.

SENATE BILL NO. 197—

BY SENATOR SMITH AND REPRESENTATIVE THOMPSON

AN ACT

To enact Part III of Chapter 4-A of Title 3 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 3:331 through 333, relative to rural development; to create the Louisiana Center for Rural Initiatives within the Louisiana State University Agricultural Center; to provide for the mission, powers, duties, and functions of the Louisiana Center for Rural Initiatives; to provide relative to implementation; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Agriculture, Forestry, Aquaculture and Rural Development.

SENATE BILL NO. 198—

BY SENATOR SMITH

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 3:4623(A), 4671, and 4684, to enact R.S. 3:4602(14.1), and to repeal R.S. 3:4672(G), 4674, 4676, 4677, 4687, and 4688, relative to the regulation of devices for weighing and measuring petroleum products; to exempt petroleum for specified uses from certain fees; to provide relative to penalties for violations of petroleum weights and measures regulations; to repeal regulations applicable to gasoline blended with ethanol or methanol; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Transportation, Highways, and Public Works.

SENATE BILL NO. 199—

BY SENATOR SMITH

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 52:5, relative to jurisdiction over land sited in the state but under custody of the United States; to remove the sunset provision for entering into written agreements to cede concurrent jurisdiction to the United States; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Judiciary B.

SENATE BILL NO. 200—

BY SENATOR BARHAM

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 40:1662.4(C)(10), relative to public health and safety; to provide for a license exemption for certain locksmiths; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Commerce, Consumer Protection and International Affairs.

SENATE BILL NO. 201—

BY SENATOR LENTINI

AN ACT

To amend and reenact Title 9 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, relative to Civil Code ancillaries; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Judiciary A.

SENATE BILL NO. 202—

BY SENATOR FIELDS

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 18:44(A) and (B)(5)(b), 110(B)(1), 197, 402(B), (C)(introductory paragraph), (F)(2) and (G), 431(A)(1)(b), 433(G)(1) and (H)(1)(introductory paragraph), 434(A)(1), (C)(introductory paragraph), and (D)(1) and (2), 435(A)(1) and (B), 436, 453, 467(introductory paragraph) and

(2), 468(A), 552(A)(introductory paragraph), 1272(A), 1278(B), 1279, 1300(C)(1), 1300.7(A), 1306(A)(4) and (C)(2), 1307(A)(8) and (D), 1308(A)(2)(a), 1311(D)(5)(a), 1314(C)(1) and (2) and (D), 1333(D)(1)(e) and (E)(1), 1355(6), 1401(B), 1402(B)(1)(c), 1405(A), 1406(B), 1407, 1409(B)(1) and (2), 1432(A), 1461(A)(17) and to enact R.S. 18:1275.1 through 1275.23, relative to elections; to provide for a party primary system of elections for congressional offices, including provisions to provide for nomination of candidates for general elections for congressional offices by party primary elections, including a first primary election and a second primary election if no candidate receives a majority vote in the first primary election; for qualification of candidates for congressional office having no party affiliation in the general election; for election in the general election by plurality vote; for voting for congressional offices by a voter registered as affiliated with the party in the party primary elections; to provide for voting of unaffiliated voters in party primaries; to provide for election dates; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Senate and Governmental Affairs.

SENATE BILL NO. 203—

BY SENATOR FIELDS

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 18:44(A) and (B)(5)(b), 110(B)(1), 197, 401(B), 402(A), (B), (C)(introductory paragraph), (D), (E), and (F), 431(A)(1)(b), 433(G)(1) and (H)(1)(introductory paragraph), 434(A), (C)(introductory paragraph), and (D), 435(A)(1) and (B), 436, 451, 453, 461, 463(A)(1)(a), 465(B), (D), and (E), 466, 467, 467.1, 468, 469(A), (B), and (D), 470.1, 481, 482, 491, 492, 493, 494, 513(B), 521, 522(B), 532.1(E)(1) and (3), 534(B), 536(A)(introductory paragraph), 551(B)(1)(introductory paragraph) and (2) and (C), 552(A), 562(A)(1), 574(E), 575(B), 601, 602(E)(2)(a) and (4), 604(B)(2)(a), 1272(A), 1278(B), 1279, 1285(B)(1)(a), 1290(A), 1300(C)(1), 1300.7(A), 1306(A)(4) and (C)(2), 1307(A)(8) and (D), 1308(A)(2)(a), 1311(D)(5)(a), 1314(C)(1) and (2) and (D), 1333(D)(1)(e) and (E)(1), 1355(6), 1401(A) and (B), 1402(B)(1)(c), 1405(A), 1406(B), 1407, 1409(B)(1) and (2), 1432(A), 1461(A)(17), 1483(8) and (12), 1491.6(B), (C)(introductory paragraph), and (D)(1), 1495.4(B), (C)(introductory paragraph), and (D)(1), 1505.2(H)(1)(c), (2)(e) and (f), (3)(a), and (7)(a), and 1532(A)(introductory paragraph); to enact R.S. 18:401(C), Subpart B-1 of Part IV of Chapter 5 of Title 18 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 18:473 and 473.1, and R.S. 18:482.1 and 562(E); and to repeal R.S. 18:483, 511, and 551(D), relative to elections; to provide for a party primary system of elections with voting based upon party affiliation, including provisions to provide for nomination of candidates for general elections by party primary elections, including a first primary election and a second primary election if no candidate receives a majority vote in the first primary election; for qualification of candidates having no party affiliation in the general election; for election in the general election by plurality vote; for voting by a voter registered as affiliated with the party in the party primary election and for voting of voters unaffiliated with a recognized political party if allowed by the party central committee; to provide for election dates; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Senate and Governmental Affairs.

SENATE BILL NO. 204—

BY SENATOR MICHOT

AN ACT

To provide with respect to the Early Retirement and Payroll Reduction Act; to provide for a reduction in state employment and for early retirement of members of the Louisiana State Employees' Retirement System, including but not limited to provisions for eligibility, retirement benefits, restrictions on

hiring of new employees, abolition of vacated positions, reductions in appropriated funds, and funding; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Retirement.

SENATE BILL NO. 205—

BY SENATOR BOISSIERE

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 11:3682(13), (16), and (26), 3683(1), (2), and (3)(a), 3684(D) and (E), 3685(B)(8), and 3689(A) and (C), relative to the Harbor Police Retirement System; to provide with respect to definitions; to correct references to citations; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Retirement.

SENATE BILL NO. 206—

BY SENATOR B. GAUTREAUX

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 56:8(81), and 325.3(B), and to enact R.S. 56:326(A)(4), relative to red drum; to authorize certain commercial taking or landing; to establish a commercial quota for red drum caught by any legal gear; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Natural Resources.

SENATE BILL NO. 207—

BY SENATOR CAIN

AN ACT

To amend and reenact Code of Criminal Procedure Art. 315, relative to personal sureties; to provide qualifications to act as a personal surety; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Judiciary C.

SENATE BILL NO. 208—

BY SENATOR CAIN

AN ACT

To enact Code of Criminal Procedure Art. 345(H), relative to the surrender of defendants; to require that the officer charged with the defendant's detention provide the surety with a receipt of the fees collected, the purpose of such fees, as well as such information to identify any applicable bond; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Judiciary C.

SENATE BILL NO. 209—

BY SENATOR ADLEY AND REPRESENTATIVE DOERGE

AN ACT

To amend and reenact the introductory paragraph of R.S. 17:3048.1(C)(4) and (C)(4)(b) and (c), relative to the alternative means for determining residency for Tuition Opportunity Program for Students purposes for certain dependent students who graduate from eligible Louisiana high schools and have a parent or court-ordered custodian who resides in an adjoining state; to increase the length of time such a student must be enrolled in a Louisiana secondary school prior to high school graduation; to require that a student's parent or court-ordered custodian who is a resident of a state adjoining Louisiana reside in a county that adjoins Louisiana; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Education.

SENATE BILL NO. 210—

BY SENATOR CAIN

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 15:85(12), relative to actions for enforcement and collection of bail bonds; to provide for abandonment of such actions; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Judiciary C.

SENATE BILL NO. 211—

BY SENATOR CAIN

AN ACT

To amend and reenact the introductory paragraph of Code of Criminal Procedure Art. 578 and to enact Code of Criminal Procedure Art. 572(C), relative to bail bonds; to provide for situations in which bail obligations are not enforceable; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Judiciary C.

SENATE BILL NO. 212—

BY SENATOR DUPRE AND REPRESENTATIVES BALDONE AND DOVE

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 33:130.251, 130.252(A)(1), (2), (3) and (D) and (E), 130.253(B), and (C), the introductory paragraph of 130.255(A) and (A)(3), (4), (6), and (9), 130.256, 130.257(A), the introductory paragraph of 130.257(B), (B)(1)(c) and (2)(b), 130.258(A) and (B)(1) through (7), and 130.259 through 130.261, and to enact R.S. 33:130.252(A)(2)(d) and (e) and 130.257(A)(2), relative to the Terrebonne Economic Development District; to change the name of the district; to provide for the membership of the board; to provide additional sources of funding and the method of usage of such funds; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Local and Municipal Affairs.

SENATE BILL NO. 213—

BY SENATOR ELLINGTON

AN ACT

To repeal R.S. 3:4617(F), relative to the labeling of food products; to provide relative to registered trade names and trademarks; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Agriculture, Forestry, Aquaculture and Rural Development.

SENATE BILL NO. 214—

BY SENATOR HINES

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 37:1360.31(B)(8), relative to prescriptive authority for physician assistants; to provide for such prescriptive authority for physician assistants under certain circumstances; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Health and Welfare.

SENATE BILL NO. 215—

BY SENATOR FIELDS

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 22:652.5, relative to automobile insurance; to prohibit use of credit information in determining whether to refuse to issue or renew; to increase premiums, or cancel coverage on a policy; to provide for penalties; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Insurance.

SENATE BILL NO. 216—

BY SENATOR FIELDS

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 23:393, relative to workforce development; to provide with respect to apprentices; to provide for apprenticeship utilization on public works projects; to provide for definitions; to provide for minimum standards for apprenticeship utilization; to provide for enforcement; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Labor and Industrial Relations.

SENATE BILL NO. 217—

BY SENATOR FIELDS

AN ACT

To enact Part XII of Chapter 9 of Title 23 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 23:1020.1 through 1020.3, relative to employment; to provide for employees to use employer-granted leave to care for family members with serious medical conditions; to provide for definitions; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Labor and Industrial Relations.

SENATE BILL NO. 218—

BY SENATOR FIELDS

AN ACT

To enact Part III of Chapter 29 of Title 33 of the Louisiana Revised Statute of 1950, comprised of R.S. 33:9097.1, relative to crime prevention and security districts in East Baton Rouge Parish, to create the South Burbank Crime Prevention and Development District; to provide relative to the purposes, governance, duties, and authority of the district; to authorize the governing authority of East Baton Rouge Parish, subject to the approval of district voters, to impose a parcel fee within the district and to provide relative to such fee; to provide relative to funds of the district; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Local and Municipal Affairs.

SENATE BILL NO. 219—

BY SENATOR DARDENNE

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 46:977 and 1906(C), relative to the immunization of certain juveniles; to provide with respect to the Hepatitis B vaccine for juveniles in state custody; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Health and Welfare.

SENATE BILL NO. 220—

BY SENATORS DARDENNE, ULLO, BARHAM, BOASSO, BOISSIERE, CRAVINS, DUPRE, B. GAUTREAUX, HAINKEL, MCPHERSON, MICHOT, ROMERO AND SCHEDLER

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 17:24.11, relative to programs of early childhood education; to establish and provide for a program of early childhood education provided by state-approved nonpublic schools at no cost to certain eligible students; to provide for the participation of schools; to provide for the eligibility and selection of students; to provide for administration of the program; to mandate participating schools meet certain requirements; to provide with regard to funding; to provide with regard to compliance; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Education.

SENATE BILL NO. 221—
BY SENATOR CRAVINS

AN ACT

To enact Code of Criminal Procedure Art.905.5.2, relative to imposition of the death penalty; to prohibit imposition of the death penalty for a juvenile offender convicted of a capital offense when the offense for which he was convicted occurred prior to his eighteenth birthday; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Judiciary C.

SENATE BILL NO. 222—
BY SENATOR JONES

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 15:574.2(A)(1), (B)(1) and (C)(9), relative to the Board of Parole; to establish specific qualifications of a member of the board; to provide that a simple majority is required to grant parole; to provide that certain parties with a direct interest shall be allowed to testify before the board; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Judiciary B.

SENATE BILL NO. 223—
BY SENATOR HOLLIS

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 6:242(C)(3), relative to banks; to exempt state banks from certain state laws and regulations under certain conditions; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Commerce, Consumer Protection and International Affairs.

SENATE BILL NO. 224—
BY SENATOR MALONE

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 17:3048.1(M), relative to the Louisiana Tuition Opportunity Program; to provide that any TOPS award granted to a student shall be credited against educational expenses in a specific order; to provide that cost of any housing, meal plan, books, dues or other fees shall be credited first prior to the cost of tuition; to provide for exceptions; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Education.

SENATE BILL NO. 225—
BY SENATOR MARIONNEAUX

AN ACT

To amend and reenact Civil Code Art. 2315.2(A) and to enact Civil Code Art. 2315(C), relative to wrongful death actions; to provide for recoverable damages in such actions; to extend the same rights of recovery of the spouse and children of the deceased to minor children living in the household; to add certain recoverable damages for a surviving spouse in such actions; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Judiciary A.

SENATE BILL NO. 226—
BY SENATOR DARDENNE

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 35:12(A), (B), and (D), relative to notaries public; to provide relative to names required on notarial acts; to authorize the use of initials; to provide that such names need not necessarily be Christian names; to authorize the use of stamps for the application of such names; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Judiciary A.

SENATE BILL NO. 227—

BY SENATOR DARDENNE (On Recommendation of the La State Law Institute)
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 9:1149.5, 4521 (introductory paragraph), 4870(B)(introductory paragraph) and 4888(B)(introductory paragraph); R.S. 10:9-102(a)(2), (40), and (46), 9-107.1(b), 9-107.2, 9-109(d)(11)(C), 9-304(b)(1), 9-309(1), 9-311(b), 9-406(f)(introductory paragraph), 9-408(c)(introductory paragraph) and (d)(introductory paragraph), 9-409(a)(introductory paragraph), 9-501(a)(2), 9-513(a)(2) and (c)(introductory paragraph) and 9-516(a)(2); R.S. 32:706(D) and 710(F); and R.S. 39:1430.1, relative to security devices on movable property; to provide for uniformity between the Uniform Commercial Code and Louisiana law; to provide for definitions of account, fixture filings, and health-care-insurance-receivables; to provide for the consent of the beneficiary to a security interest life insurance policy; to provide for exercising control conditioned on default; to provide for the scope of fixture filings; to provide rules determining a bank's jurisdiction; to provide for the relation of titled motor vehicles to provisions of commercial laws relative to secured transactions; to provide for restrictions on assignments; to provide for the place of filing, the need for filing termination statements, and for what constitutes filing; to provide for the relation of the oil and gas lien law to provisions of commercial laws relative to secured transactions; to provide for security devices on a manufactured home; to provide for security devices by public entities; to provide for the correction of citations; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Judiciary A.

SENATE BILL NO. 228—
BY SENATOR FIELDS

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 9:4204 and to enact R.S. 9:4210(E), relative to arbitration; to provide relative to grounds for appeal; to include certain circumstances as such grounds; to establish a minimum fee for arbitrators; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Judiciary A.

SENATE BILL NO. 229—
BY SENATOR FIELDS

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 18:1462(D)(3), relative to elections; to prohibit the intimidation of a person at a polling place on election day; to provide for penalties; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Senate and Governmental Affairs.

SENATE BILL NO. 230—
BY SENATOR THEUNISSEN

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 17:181, relative to vocational programs; to provide that materials and supplies allocated by local school boards for certain agricultural vocational programs are credited toward a maximum amount required to be funded; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Education.

SENATE BILL NO. 231—
BY SENATOR SCHEDLER**AN ACT**

To amend and reenact R.S. 18:551(A), to enact Part IV of Chapter 3 of Title 24 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 24:195.1 through 195.3, and to enact R.S. 36:744(X), relative to constitutional amendment proposal propositions; to create and provide for the Constitutional Amendment Ballot Proposal Commission; to provide for the powers and duties of the commission; to provide for the preparation and use of certain election ballots; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Senate and Governmental Affairs.

SENATE BILL NO. 232—
BY SENATOR NEVERS**AN ACT**

To amend and reenact R.S. 17:1519.3(C), relative to the Louisiana State University Health Sciences Center-New Orleans; to provide with respect to the reduction or elimination of services at any division hospital; to provide for mandatory approval of the Senate and House committees on health and welfare prior to such reduction or elimination; to provide for specific information to be supplied to the committees; to continue to provide for funding from a variety of sources for the hospitals in the division; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Health and Welfare.

SENATE BILL NO. 233—
BY SENATOR NEVERS AND REPRESENTATIVE STRAIN**AN ACT**

To amend and reenact R.S. 15:574.2(B), relative to parole; to provide with respect to the parole of offenders convicted of certain offenses against a peace officer; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Judiciary C.

SENATE BILL NO. 234—
BY SENATOR NEVERS**AN ACT**

To amend and reenact R.S. 33:108, 406(E), 551, 645, 1242, 1282, 4728, 4732, 4746, and 4780.48 and to enact R.S. 33:112(G) and 1373, relative to municipalities and parishes; to provide with respect to the enforcement of a new ordinance, regulation, or resolution based on the publication of the ordinance, regulation, or resolution; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Local and Municipal Affairs.

SENATE BILL NO. 235—
BY SENATORS MCPHERSON, HINES, SCHEDLER, BARHAM AND JONES
AND REPRESENTATIVES DURAND, THOMPSON AND SALTER**AN ACT**

To amend and reenact R.S. 36:801.1 and to enact R.S. 36:259(J) and Chapter 34 of Title 40 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 40:2841 through 2846, relative to the Louisiana Emergency Response Network (LERN); to provide for statement of purpose; to provide for definitions; to provide for the creation of the Louisiana Emergency Response Network; to provide for the board and its membership, appointments, terms of office, vacancies, meetings, compensation, functions, powers, and duties; to provide for rules and regulations; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Health and Welfare.

SENATE BILL NO. 236—
BY SENATOR CHAISSON**AN ACT**

To amend and reenact R.S. 13:10.3(C) and (E), relative to the Judges' Supplemental Compensation Fund; to provide for an increase in the nonrefundable civil filing fee; to provide that the fee increase shall be rounded up to the next dollar; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Judiciary A.

SENATE BILL NO. 237—
BY SENATOR DARDENNE**AN ACT**

To amend and reenact R.S. 24:56(A), (B) and (C) and 56.1, relative to campaign finance; to provide with respect to lobbying; to prohibit legislators from soliciting or receiving campaign contributions during certain time periods; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Senate and Governmental Affairs.

SENATE BILL NO. 238—
BY SENATOR DARDENNE**AN ACT**

To amend and reenact R.S. 17:2005(A) and (C), relative to annual report issued by the Board of Supervisors of Community and Technical Colleges; to make certain changes to the content of the report and the time period for reporting; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Education.

SENATE BILL NO. 239—
BY SENATOR HOLLIS**AN ACT**

To amend and reenact R.S. 6:969.17 and R.S. 9:3529, relative to certain credit transactions; to provide for the collection of certain fees and charges due to insufficient funds when payment is made by electronic means; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Commerce, Consumer Protection and International Affairs.

SENATE BILL NO. 240—
BY SENATOR IRONS**AN ACT**

To enact R.S. 22:215.26, relative to health insurance; to require certain health insurance policies, contracts, and plans to provide coverage for prescription birth control drugs; to provide relative to copayments or coinsurances; to provide for exclusions; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Insurance.

SENATE BILL NO. 241—
BY SENATOR IRONS**AN ACT**

To enact R.S. 46:1409.1, relative to certain licensed child care facilities; to provide for the development of a written safe sleep policy; to provide for posting of the written policy; to provide for training; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Health and Welfare.

SENATE BILL NO. 242—

BY SENATOR N. GAUTREAUX

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 13:844.1, relative to the imposition of fees for filing certain records with the clerk of court of Vermilion Parish; to authorize the assessor of Vermilion Parish to set a fee to be collected by the clerk of court for filing certain records; to provide for the deposit of the monies collected into a special account in the assessor's office; to provide for the use of the monies collected; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Judiciary A.

SENATE BILL NO. 243—

BY SENATOR BOISSIERE

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 11:62(5)(a) and R.S. 24:36(A), (C)(1)(a),(b),(c),(d) and (e), (2)(a),(b) and (c) and (E)(3), relative to the Louisiana State Employees' Retirement System; to include the attorney general as a member eligible to receive additional benefits; to provide with respect to service credit; to provide for credit for service previously rendered; to provide for additional contributions; to provide for computation of benefits payable; to provide for membership; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Retirement.

SENATE BILL NO. 244—

BY SENATOR B. GAUTREAUX

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 3:556.3(B) and (E), relative to the Louisiana Crawfish Promotion and Research Board; to provide for the membership of the board; to provide relative to vacancies; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Agriculture, Forestry, Aquaculture and Rural Development.

SENATE BILL NO. 245—

BY SENATOR HOLLIS

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 32:1256.2, relative to dealer franchise agreements; to provide that a automobile dealer who is party to a dealer franchise agreement may make certain advertising decisions; to provide that provisions of a dealer franchise agreement which requires that a dealer be placed in a particular advertising group are void and unenforceable; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Commerce, Consumer Protection and International Affairs.

SENATE BILL NO. 246—

BY SENATOR CHEEK

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 3:3803 and to enact R.S. 3:3801(A)(14) and (C)(11), 3804(A)(8), 3807(B)(7), 3808(P) and 3816(5), relative to the Louisiana Horticulture Commission; to provide for the licensing of landscape irrigation contractors; to provide for commission membership; to provide for examination of applicants; to provide for regulation and licensure terms and conditions; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Commerce, Consumer Protection and International Affairs.

SENATE BILL NO. 247—

BY SENATOR FONTENOT

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 3:472(4), (5), (6), and (7), 473, 474, 476, and 478(A), relative to the Louisiana Strawberry Marketing Board; to provide for the membership, powers, and duties of the board; to provide relative to assessments on the sale of strawberries; to provide for the powers of the commissioner of agriculture and forestry; to provide for penalties; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Agriculture, Forestry, Aquaculture and Rural Development.

SENATE BILL NO. 248—

BY SENATOR ULLO

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 8:606, relative to internment; to require submission of certain information to the Louisiana Cemetery Board; to the initiation of construction of mausoleums or similar structures within a specified period pursuant to plans and contracts; to provide for timely delivery of acceptable interment space; to provide for imposition of penalties for failure to comply; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Commerce, Consumer Protection and International Affairs.

SENATE BILL NO. 249—

BY SENATOR BAJOE

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 46:1792(A), (B)(1), and (B)(2), relative to subsidy for adopted children; to clarify the requirements of Title IV-E redetermination cases; to bring state law in compliance with the federal Adoptions and Safe Families Act; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Health and Welfare.

SENATE BILL NO. 250—

BY SENATOR BAJOE

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 46:231.6, and to repeal R.S. 46:460.5 (A)(3) and (B)(3), relative to public assistance; to provide with respect to the limits on FITAP benefits for a family; to provide with respect to earned income disregards for certain TANF recipients; to provide for a sixty-month limit on benefits rather than the previous twenty-four month limit; to provide for removing the restriction on earned income disregard for those provided assistance beyond the original twenty-four month cap; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and withdrawn from the files of the Senate.

SENATE BILL NO. 251—

BY SENATOR BAJOE

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 40:1300.51(3) and to enact R.S. 40:1300.51(2)(h),(i), and (j), relative to criminal history checks on nonlicensed persons, to require certain health care providers to request a criminal history check on persons seeking to be employed or contracted; to include persons employed by a personal care attendant services agency, a respite care services agency, or a supervised independent living programs in the definition of "nonlicensed persons;" and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Judiciary C.

SENATE BILL NO. 252—

BY SENATOR HAINKEL

A JOINT RESOLUTION

Proposing to amend Article V, Sections 4, 9, 21, 22, and 24, and Article X, Section 26 and to add Article V, Sections 22.1, 22.2, 22.3, and 24.1 of the Constitution of Louisiana, to provide for the nomination and appointment of judges; to provide for filling of a vacancy or a newly created judgeship or vacancy in the office of judge; to provide for retention elections; to provide a term of office for judges; to provide for qualifications; to provide for the criteria to be used in the nomination and appointment of judges; to provide for the recall, by election, of judges; to provide for submission of the proposed amendment to the electors; and to specify an election for submission of the proposition to electors and provide a ballot proposition.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Judiciary A.

SENATE BILL NO. 253—

BY SENATOR B. GAUTREAUX

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 56:103(B) and (C)(1), 104(A)(3) and (4), and 140(A); relative to nongame quadrupeds; to include bobcats in the open season for taking nongame quadrupeds; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Natural Resources.

SENATE BILL NO. 254—

BY SENATOR B. GAUTREAUX

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 56:333(B)(1), relative to the commercial taking of mullet; to provide relative to the time and seasons when commercial fishermen are authorized to take mullet; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Natural Resources.

SENATE BILL NO. 255—

BY SENATOR FIELDS

A JOINT RESOLUTION

Proposing to amend Article VII, Section 21(F) of the Constitution of Louisiana, relative to contracts of exemption from certain ad valorem property taxes; to provide that contracts for new manufacturing establishments or additions to existing manufacturing establishments shall not exempt certain taxes; and to specify an election for submission of the proposition to electors and provide a ballot proposition.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Revenue and Fiscal Affairs.

SENATE BILL NO. 256—

BY SENATOR NEVERS

AN ACT

To enact Part VI of Chapter 2 of Code Title VII of Title 9 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 9:2990 through 2992, relative to the transfer of lands exposed to hazardous substances or hazardous waste; to provide for definitions; to provide for notification; to provide for liability; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Environmental Quality.

SENATE BILL NO. 257—

BY SENATOR MCPHERSON

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 9:2716, relative to contracts; to prohibit the automatic renewal of certain contracts; to provide for the terms for the continuation of such contracts; to provide for the termination of such contracts; to provide for exceptions; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Judiciary A.

SENATE BILL NO. 258—

BY SENATOR JONES

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 18:1483(7)(e), relative to campaign finance; to classify as "district office" the office of marshal or constable of a city court; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Senate and Governmental Affairs.

SENATE BILL NO. 259—

BY SENATOR IRONS

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 17:197.1, relative to school nutrition; to limit certain beverages and food in vending machines; to limit accessibility to students; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Education.

SENATE BILL NO. 260—

BY SENATOR HOLLIS

AN ACT

To enact Part IV-A of Chapter 5 of Title 18 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 18:1503.1, relative to campaign reports; to require reporting of certain information relative to the conducting of election campaign polls; to provide for the time period within which such information shall be reported; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Senate and Governmental Affairs.

SENATE BILL NO. 261—

BY SENATOR HINES

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 42:1119(B)(2)(a)(iii) and to enact R.S. 42:1119 (B)(2)(a)(iv), relative to the Code of Governmental Ethics; to provide with respect to nepotism; to authorize the employment of immediate family members of a school board member or a superintendent as a certified guidance counselor; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Senate and Governmental Affairs.

SENATE BILL NO. 262—

BY SENATOR HAINKEL

AN ACT

To enact Chapter 10-E of Title 33 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 33:4549.1 through 4549.5, relative to the Local Government Capital Outlay Projects Fund Program; to provide legislative findings; to establish the Local Government Capital Outlay Projects Fund Program; to provide for funding of the program; to provide for the administration of the program; to provide for financing conditions and repayment; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Revenue and Fiscal Affairs.

SENATE BILL NO. 263—

BY SENATOR B. GAUTREAUX

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 42:1119(B)(2)(b)(i), relative to nepotism; to provide that a licensed physician or registered nurse who is an immediate family member of a hospital service district board or authority member may be employed by such hospital service district based on population; to increase the population limits; to provide for recusal; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Senate and Governmental Affairs.

SENATE BILL NO. 264—

BY SENATOR LENTINI

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 14:68.5, relative to the Louisiana Criminal Code; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Judiciary C.

SENATE BILL NO. 265—

BY SENATOR LENTINI

AN ACT

To enact Code of Criminal Procedure Art. 324(A)(4), relative to bail; to provide relative to bail through cash deposits; to authorize a court to reduce the percentage amount of the bail to be deposited; to authorize an administrative fee; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Judiciary C.

SENATE BILL NO. 266—

BY SENATOR LENTINI

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 22:1404.3, relative to criminal bail bonds; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Judiciary C.

SENATE BILL NO. 267—

BY SENATORS ULLO, HAINKEL, HOLLIS AND LENTINI, AND REPRESENTATIVES ALARIO, ANSARDI, BOWLER, DAMICO, LABRUZZO, LANCASTER, MARTINY, SCALISE, SHEPHERD, TOOMY AND WOOTON

AN ACT

To rename the Lafitte Larose Boulevard to the Leo Kerner/Lafitte Parkway in Jefferson Parish; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Transportation, Highways, and Public Works.

SENATE BILL NO. 268—

BY SENATOR ULLO

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 8:465(A)(1)(a) and (3) and 4(g); relative to trust funds; to include additional persons in the prohibition against being the recipient of loans or investments from any perpetual trust; to prohibit any remuneration to certain persons in connection with the loan or investment of any trust account; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Commerce, Consumer Protection and International Affairs.

SENATE BILL NO. 269—

BY SENATOR CAIN

AN ACT

To re-designate a portion of U. S. 90 in Calcasieu Parish as the "Veterans Memorial Highway 90".

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Transportation, Highways, and Public Works.

SENATE BILL NO. 270—

BY SENATOR CRAVINS

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 22:1401(J)(1), (2), (3), (4), and (5)(b) and (c) and to repeal R.S. 22:1401(J)(6), relative to property and casualty insurance rates; to provide for the determination of rates; to provide for the time for filing rate changes and procedures in determining rates to be charged by property and casualty insurers; to provide for notification to policyholders of rate changes; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Insurance.

SENATE BILL NO. 271—

BY SENATOR DUPRE

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 37:1207(A) and to enact R.S. 36:254(A)(15), relative to the Louisiana Board of Pharmacy; to provide with respect to the powers and duties of the board and the renewal of license, registration, and certification; to authorize the board to issue a probationary license to a pharmacist who is delinquent in paying certain fees or taxes; to require the secretary of the Department of Health and Hospitals to develop a program to notify the Louisiana Board of Pharmacy with respect to fees and taxes payable to the department by licensed pharmacists; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Commerce, Consumer Protection and International Affairs.

SENATE BILL NO. 272—

BY SENATOR DUPRE

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 17:1201(C)(1)(b), relative to teachers sick leave; to remove the limit on sick leave as a result of injury or disability occasioned as a result of physical contact with a student when aiding the student; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Education.

SENATE BILL NO. 273—

BY SENATOR FIELDS

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 17:1206.2, relative to sick leave for school employees; to provide for the granting of certain extended sick leave for school employees under certain circumstances; to provide for definitions; to provide for examination by a physician; to provide for the adoption of certain policies to insure the confidentiality of certain records; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Education.

SENATE BILL NO. 274—
BY SENATOR LENTINI**AN ACT**

To amend and reenact Ch.C. Arts. 615 and 616, relative to the disposition of child abuse investigatory reports; provides that reports determined not to be justified are handled similarly to those found to be inconclusive; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Judiciary A.

SENATE BILL NO. 275—
BY SENATOR NEVERS**AN ACT**

To amend and reenact R.S. 17:1519.3(C), relative to the Louisiana State University Health Sciences Center-New Orleans; to provide with respect to the reduction or elimination of services at any division hospital; to provide for mandatory approval of the Senate and House committees on health and welfare prior to such reduction or elimination; to provide for specific information to be supplied to the committees; to continue to provide for funding from a variety of sources for the hospitals in the division; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Health and Welfare.

SENATE BILL NO. 276—
BY SENATOR ADLEY**AN ACT**

To enact R.S. 33:1994(F), relative to minimum wages and maximum hours of firemen; to provide that the city of Bossier City may establish a work shift cycle in excess of forty-two hours weekly for operators of fire alarm systems; to provide for overtime hours and pay for such operators; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Labor and Industrial Relations.

SENATE BILL NO. 277—
BY SENATOR ULLO**AN ACT**

To enact R.S. 14:32.2, relative to offenses against the person; to create the crime of vehicular manslaughter; to provide for definitions; to provide for penalties; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Judiciary C.

SENATE BILL NO. 278—
BY SENATOR BARHAM**AN ACT**

To amend and reenact R.S. 41:640 and 965, relative to public school lands; to provide for the distribution of proceeds from public lands to school boards; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Finance.

SENATE BILL NO. 279—
BY SENATOR BOISSIERE**A JOINT RESOLUTION**

Proposing to add Article V, Section 15(E), relative to judges in Orleans Parish; to provide that certain judges in Orleans Parish who have served for more than one and one-half terms in two consecutive terms shall not be elected to serve as a judge in the same court for the succeeding term; and to specify an election for submission of the proposition to electors and provide a ballot proposition.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Senate and Governmental Affairs.

SENATE BILL NO. 280—
BY SENATOR BOISSIERE**AN ACT**

To enact R.S. 45:841, relative to telecommunications; to prohibit cable television and telecommunications companies from levying certain charges; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Commerce, Consumer Protection and International Affairs.

SENATE BILL NO. 281—
BY SENATOR ULLO**AN ACT**

To amend and reenact R.S. 8:459.1(B), 502(E), 509 and 510(B)(2), relative to perpetual care trust funds; to provide for the manner in which a trustee administers trusts and require such trust funds to be placed with certain federally insured financial institutions; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Commerce, Consumer Protection and International Affairs.

SENATE BILL NO. 282—
BY SENATOR DARDENNE**AN ACT**

To amend and reenact Code of Civil Procedure Arts. 1201(C) and 1672(C), relative to service of citation; to provide relative to the manner in which service of citation shall be requested; to require the payment of fees for such service; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Judiciary A.

SENATE BILL NO. 283—
BY SENATOR DARDENNE**AN ACT**

To amend and reenact the introductory paragraph of R.S. 17:3048.1(A)(1)(e) and R.S. 17:3048.1(A)(1)(e)(xii), relative to Tuition Opportunity Program for Students high school core curriculum requirements for certain awards; to provide applicability; to provide an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Education.

SENATE BILL NO. 284—
BY SENATOR MARIONNEAUX**AN ACT**

To amend and reenact R.S. 9:3518.2(B)(1) and the introductory paragraph of R.S. 9:3518.2(C), relative to credit cards; to prohibit unsolicited mailing or delivery of credit card applications; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Commerce, Consumer Protection and International Affairs.

SENATE BILL NO. 285—
BY SENATOR FIELDS**AN ACT**

To enact Part XX of Chapter 2 of Code Title XII of Code Book III of Title 9 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 9:3577.11 through 3577.22; to provide for the Louisiana Pay Day Loan Act in order to provide for comprehensive regulation of the deferred deposit loan or "pay day loan" business; to provide for civil and criminal penalties; to provide for civil remedies; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Commerce, Consumer Protection and International Affairs.

SENATE BILL NO. 286—

BY SENATOR FIELDS

AN ACT

To enact Part IV of Chapter 14 of Title 6 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 6:1101 through 1107; relative to predatory lending; to provide for definitions; to provide for prohibited practices regarding residential mortgage lending; to provide for civil penalties; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Commerce, Consumer Protection and International Affairs.

SENATE BILL NO. 287—

BY SENATORS N. GAUTREAUX, ADLEY, AMEDEE, BOASSO, CAIN, CRAVINS, DUPRE, ELLINGTON, HINES, JONES, KOSTELKA, MCPHERSON, NEVERS, ROMERO AND SMITH

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R. S. 9: 3577.2(4), R.S. 17:4(B), 540, 541(B)(2), 1806(A)(2), 1821(B), 1822(B), 1825(A), 1835, the chapter title of Chapter 5-B of Title 17 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, the introductory paragraph of 1871(A)(1)(a), 1871(A)(2), (B)(1), (3), (4), and (5), 1991, 1994(A), 1994.1, 1996(B), 2004(A)(1), the introductory paragraph of 2005(A), 2009(B) and (D)(2), 2033, 2034, 2035, 2046(A) and (B), the introductory paragraph of 2047(C)(1), the introductory paragraph of 2048.31(C)(1), 2049.1, the introductory paragraph of 2049.2, 2049.3(C), 2049.4, 2050(C)(2) and (D)(2), 2054(A), the introductory paragraph of 3022(A), 3022(A)(1)(a)(i), (ii), and (v), 3126(C), 3129.1(B)(1), 3129.2(A)(1)(i), 3130(A), (B)(2) and (3), 3201, 3202(1), 3217.1(A), 3217.2(A)(2), (B)(3), and (4), 3218, 3219(A), 3222(B)(1), 3223(A) and (B)(2), and (5), (C), and (D), 3223.2, 3224(C), 3225, 3226(B), 3351(A)(5)(b)(iii), 3351.1(A)(1), 3351.10(A), 3381(A), 3387(A), R.S. 23:1871(C)(22) and (29), R.S. 27:392(B)(3)(b)(i) and (d), R.S. 29:288, R.S. 36:108(B)(6), R.S. 46:231.7(A)(2), and R.S. 49:308(E)(2)(e), and to enact Chapter 5-C of Title 17 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 17:1881 through 1884 and 3217.10 and R.S. 23:1871(C)(30), relative to the governance of postsecondary education; to provide for the creation and establishment of the Louisiana Technical College System; to revise the jurisdiction and change the name of the Louisiana Community and Technical College System to the Louisiana Community College System; to provide for the board of supervisors of each system; to provide for the institutions under the jurisdiction of each system, to provide for the initial terms of the members of the Board of Supervisors of the Technical College System; to correct reference in the law to reflect the division of jurisdiction between the two boards; to provide for the selection of student members to serve on the board; to transfer all powers, duties, and responsibilities regarding postsecondary vocational-technical schools from the Board of Supervisors of Community and Technical Colleges to the Board of Supervisors of Technical Colleges; to transfer to the Board of Supervisors of Technical Colleges the continued obligation to be successors to the obligations of the State Board of Elementary and Secondary Education regarding the 1999 transfer of vocational-technical programs and institutions; to provide for the transfer of the obligations, records, property, liabilities, and employees of postsecondary vocational-technical schools to the Board of Supervisors of Technical Colleges; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Education.

SENATE BILL NO. 288—

BY SENATOR SCHEDLER

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 47:322.37(B)(3), relative to the St. Tammany Parish Tourist and Convention Commission; to provide for the distribution of certain funds appropriated to the commission; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Local and Municipal Affairs.

SENATE BILL NO. 289—

BY SENATORS BOISSIERE, LENTINI AND ULLO, AND REPRESENTATIVES ANSARDI, DAMICO AND LANCASTER

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 38:2212(C)(2)(a), relative to public work; to require public entities to transmit addendum to bids for contracts for such work exceeding the contract limit by certain means; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Transportation, Highways, and Public Works.

SENATE BILL NO. 290—

BY SENATOR BOISSIERE

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 11:1938(C) and (F)(2) and to enact R.S. 11:107, 723(C), 1925(G), relative to Parochial Employees' Retirement System; to provide with respect to deferred retirement option plan; to provide with respect to additional employer contributions; to provide with respect to members employed in other state employment; to provide for direct rollovers in certain circumstances for purchase of creditable service; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Retirement.

SENATE BILL NO. 291—

BY SENATOR MOUNT

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 32:5, relative to traffic control at parade events; to provide for the authority of certain parade marshals to direct, control, or regulate traffic at parade events; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Transportation, Highways, and Public Works.

SENATE BILL NO. 292—

BY SENATOR LENTINI

AN ACT

To amend and reenact Children's Code Articles 615(E)(2) and (3), and (F), and 616(E), relative to the disposition of reports and the central registry; to allow the Department of Social Services to retain and have limited use of reports that do not appear to be justified; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Judiciary A.

SENATE BILL NO. 293—

BY SENATOR HAINKEL

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 17:3048.1(A)(1)(e)(xii), relative to Tuition Opportunity Program for Students high school core curriculum requirements for certain awards; to provide applicability; to provide an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Education.

SENATE BILL NO. 294—

BY SENATOR MCPHERSON

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 44:9(E)(1)(c), relative to criminal records; to provide relative to criminal history records; to authorize expungement of such records of offenders who have been granted a first offender pardon; to provide for exceptions; to require a contradictory hearing prior to such expungement; to authorize the use of such expungement records for certain prosecution purposes; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Judiciary C.

SENATE BILL NO. 295—

BY SENATOR N. GAUTREAUX

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 51:1423, relative to deceptive and unfair trade practices; to prohibit the issuing of a gift certificate with an expiration date or which includes any service fee; to provide for penalties; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Commerce, Consumer Protection and International Affairs.

SENATE BILL NO. 296—

BY SENATOR SMITH

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 22:253(A), relative to funeral policies and burial insurance; to provide for payment of benefits to policy holders; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Insurance.

SENATE BILL NO. 297—

BY SENATOR SMITH

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 32:386.2, relative to weight of certain vehicles; to provide relative to certain log trucks or chip vans transporting forestry products; to provide relative to violations of the authorized weight limit; to authorize the promulgation of rules and regulations; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Transportation, Highways, and Public Works.

SENATE BILL NO. 298—

BY SENATOR SMITH

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 17:425.2, relative to payment for unused sick and annual leave of certain unclassified postsecondary education employees who continue in employment after becoming eligible for retirement; to provide for definitions; to provide for applicability; to provide conditions and limitations; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Education.

SENATE BILL NO. 299—

BY SENATOR CRAVINS

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 34:851.37 through 851.41, inclusive, and R.S. 34:852 and 853 relative to motorboat safety education; to require certain classes; to provide for motorboat license registration; to create the Motorboat Safety Education Advisory Council; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Natural Resources.

SENATE BILL NO. 300—

BY SENATOR SMITH

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 26:932(5) and (7), the introductory paragraph of 933(B) and (C)(7), 934(5) and 935(A), the introductory paragraph of (B)(1), (B)(1)(a), and (2), and (C) and 939 and to repeal R.S. 26:932(8) and (9), relative to tobacco products; to provide relative to the Responsible Vendor Program; to remove the selling or serving of tobacco products from such program; to provide relative to definitions; to repeal information on tobacco products from required educational components of such program; to repeal the required posting of certain signs relative to tobacco products by vendors; to repeal authority for revocation or suspension of permits or registration relative to tobacco products under such program; to provide relative to a defense to or mitigating circumstances for such suspension or revocation; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Judiciary C.

SENATE BILL NO. 301—

BY SENATOR HOLDEN

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 17:24.7, relative to the functions of the state Department of Education; to require the establishment of a pilot program of extended kindergarten; to provide for the eligibility of students to participate; to provide for the nature, duration, evaluation, and continuation of the pilot program; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Education.

SENATE BILL NO. 302—

BY SENATOR HINES

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 40:1299.39.1 and 1299.47, relative to medical malpractice; to provide for medical review panel reports to be non-reportable; to provide for the filing of a request for a medical review panel to be non-reportable; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Judiciary A.

SENATE BILL NO. 303—

BY SENATOR HOLDEN

AN ACT

To amend and reenact that part of Section 9(B)(14) of Act 1134 of the 2003 Regular Session of the Legislature which is applicable to the allocation and distribution of funds in East Baton Rouge Parish, relative to the Revenue Sharing Fund; to provide with respect to certain distributions in East Baton Rouge Parish for Fiscal Year 2003-2004; to provide for the retroactive application of this Act; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Finance.

SENATE BILL NO. 304—

BY SENATOR HOLDEN

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 33:2504(D) and (E), relative to political activities; to provide with respect to the prohibition against certain political activities by persons in the classified service; to provide that the prohibition shall not apply to any labor organization representing law enforcement officers or to any officer of a labor organization representing law enforcement officers while acting

in such capacity; to provide for the effectiveness of this Act; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Labor and Industrial Relations.

SENATE BILL NO. 305—

BY SENATOR HOLDEN

A JOINT RESOLUTION

Proposing to amend Article X, Section 20 of the Constitution of Louisiana, relative to political activities; to provide that the provisions of Article XIV, Section 15.1, Paragraph 34 of the Constitution of 1921, retained in the Louisiana Constitution of 1974, shall not apply to any labor organization representing law enforcement officers or to any officer of a labor organization representing law enforcement officers while acting in such capacity; and to specify an election for submission of the proposition to electors and provide a ballot proposition.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Labor and Industrial Relations.

SENATE BILL NO. 306—

BY SENATOR HOLDEN

A JOINT RESOLUTION

Proposing to amend Article VII, Section 21(F) of the Constitution of Louisiana, relative to contracts of exemption from certain ad valorem property taxes; to provide that contracts for new manufacturing establishments or additions to existing manufacturing establishments may only be renewed under certain conditions; and to specify an election for submission of the proposition to electors and provide a ballot proposition.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Revenue and Fiscal Affairs.

SENATE BILL NO. 307—

BY SENATOR HOLDEN

A JOINT RESOLUTION

Proposing to amend Article VII, Section 10(F)(2)(a) and (b) of the Constitution of Louisiana, relative to the expenditure of state funds; to provide for the thresholds triggering adjustments to certain constitutionally protected or mandated appropriations to eliminate a projected deficit; and to specify an election for submission of the proposition to electors and provide a ballot proposition.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Finance.

SENATE BILL NO. 308—

BY SENATOR DUPRE

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 49:214.27(B)(2), 214.30(C)(2) and (7), and 214.41(E), relative to coastal conservation, restoration, and management; to provide certain procedures and requirements; to provide relative to guidelines; to provide relative to applications for coastal use permits and to landowner notification; to provide relative to certain delegations of power by the secretary; to provide relative to options for mitigation of coastal wetland losses by the owner of the land on which a permitted activity is to occur; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Natural Resources.

SENATE BILL NO. 309—

BY SENATOR DUPRE

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 46:1844(W)(1)(a), relative to the basic rights for victim and witness; to provide for the protection of the identity and provide for the safety and welfare of a crime victim who is a minor under the age of eighteen years; to provide for

the disclosure of confidential information when the victim is under the age of eighteen and the disclosure would assist in the apprehension of a perpetrator or serve an important public purpose; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Judiciary C.

SENATE BILL NO. 310—

BY SENATOR DUPRE

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 49:214.38, and to enact Part II-B of Chapter 2 of Title 49 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, consisting of R.S. 49:214.52 through 214.60, inclusive, relative to coastal wetlands conservation, management, preservation, enhancement, creation and restoration; to provide relative to expropriation of property; to authorize and provide certain procedures for expropriation by declaration of taking; to provide relative to authority and procedures by the state Department of Natural Resources; to set forth certain terms, conditions, and procedures for proceedings; to provide an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Natural Resources.

SENATE BILL NO. 311—

BY SENATOR FONTENOT AND REPRESENTATIVE WHITE

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 17:58.2(H), 65, and 65.1, relative to the Central community school system; to provide for the school system, including its establishment and boundaries; to provide for the school board and an interim board of control; to provide for board membership, apportionment, qualifications, method of selection, terms of office, filling of vacancies, compensation, expenses, powers, duties, and responsibilities; to provide relative to facilities and property; to provide for the reapportionment of the East Baton Rouge Parish School Board; to provide for effectiveness and for implementation; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Education.

SENATE BILL NO. 312—

BY SENATOR HOLDEN

A JOINT RESOLUTION

Proposing to amend Article VII, Section 21(F) of the Constitution of Louisiana, to provide that any contract of exemption entered into by the State Board of Commerce and Industry and a manufacturing establishment shall require a payment in lieu of taxes for any exemption from ad valorem taxes imposed by a school board; to provide for the distribution of any funds received from such payments; to provide for submission of the proposed amendment to the electors; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Revenue and Fiscal Affairs.

SENATE BILL NO. 313—

BY SENATOR FIELDS

AN ACT

To amend and reenact Code of Criminal Procedure Art. 723 and to enact Code of Criminal Procedure Art. 718.1, relative to discovery; to provide defendants access to certain witnesses statements; to provide for protective orders against certain disclosures; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Judiciary C.

SENATE BILL NO. 314—

BY SENATORS CAIN, IRONS, ADLEY, BAJOIE, MICHOT AND SMITH
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 22:253(A); relative to funeral policies and burial insurance; to provide for payment of benefits to policy holders; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Insurance.

SENATE BILL NO. 315—

BY SENATOR CAIN
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 22:636(D), relative to insurance policies; to provide for payment of unearned premiums; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Insurance.

SENATE BILL NO. 316—

BY SENATOR MARIONNEAUX
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 15:85(7), (10), and (11)(a) and (b), relative to bail bonds; to provide procedures for enforcement and collection of judgments of bond forfeitures; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Judiciary C.

SENATE BILL NO. 317—

BY SENATOR MARIONNEAUX
AN ACT

To amend and reenact Code of Criminal Procedure Art. 345(D) and (G) and to enact Code of Criminal Procedure Art. 345(H), (I) and (J), relative to the surrender of defendant; to delete the six-month time period in which a defendant is allowed to surrender; to provide for the cancellation of the original bail undertaking in certain cases; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Judiciary C.

SENATE BILL NO. 318—

BY SENATOR MARIONNEAUX
AN ACT

To amend and reenact Code of Criminal Procedure Art. 326(B), relative to conditions of the bail bond undertaking; to provide for the surety to be relieved of obligation in certain cases; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Judiciary C.

SENATE BILL NO. 319—

BY SENATOR FONTENOT
A JOINT RESOLUTION

Proposing to amend Article VII, Sections 20(A)(1) and 23(B) of the Constitution of Louisiana, to increase the homestead exemption; to provide for adjustment of millages; to provide for submission of the proposed amendment to the electors; to provide for an effective date; and to specify an election for submission of the proposition to electors and provide a ballot proposition.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Revenue and Fiscal Affairs.

SENATE BILL NO. 320—

BY SENATOR FIELDS
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 13:847(G) and to repeal R.S. 13: 847(E)(1)(c) and (d), R.S. 13:847(F) and R.S. 44:9(A)(3), relative to criminal records; to prohibit the collection of a filing or processing fee for the

expungement of criminal records in certain cases; to repeal the authority to collect a filing or processing fee of expungement in certain cases; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Judiciary C.

SENATE BILL NO. 321—

BY SENATOR FIELDS
A JOINT RESOLUTION

Proposing to amend Article VII, Section 21(F) of the Constitution of Louisiana, relative to contracts of exemption from certain ad valorem property taxes; to provide that contracts for new manufacturing establishments or additions to existing manufacturing establishments may only be renewed under certain conditions; and to specify an election for submission of the proposition to electors and provide a ballot proposition.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Revenue and Fiscal Affairs.

SENATE BILL NO. 322—

BY SENATOR NEVERS
A JOINT RESOLUTION

Proposing to amend Article VII, Section 20 of the Constitution of Louisiana, relative to homestead exemption; to provide for an exemption for homesteads owned by certain persons; and to specify an election for submission of the proposition to electors and provide a ballot proposition.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Revenue and Fiscal Affairs.

SENATE BILL NO. 323—

BY SENATOR HAINKEL
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 11:1386, relative to the judges' noncontributory plan; to provide with respect to cost-of-living adjustments for judges and widows of such judges who did not opt to become members of the Louisiana State Employees' Retirement System; to provide the procedures for determining the amount of such adjustments; to provide an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Retirement.

SENATE BILL NO. 324—

BY SENATOR BOISSIERE AND DUPLESSIS
AN ACT

To enact Subpart B-20 of Part IV of Chapter 1 of Title 33 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 33:130.441 through 449, relative to the New Orleans Riverfront Development District; to create the district and provide for the powers, duties, functions, and responsibilities of the board of commissioners for the district; to provide for a governing board of commissioners and for membership; to provide relative to the power of ad valorem taxation and the issuance of bonds; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Local and Municipal Affairs.

SENATE BILL NO. 325—

BY SENATOR CRAVINS
A JOINT RESOLUTION

Proposing to amend Article IV, Section 1(B) of the Constitution of Louisiana, relative to the organization of the executive branch of state government; to specify the maximum number of executive branch departments; to provide for submission of the proposed amendment to the electors; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Senate and Governmental Affairs.

SENATE BILL NO. 326—

BY SENATOR HOLDEN

A JOINT RESOLUTION

Proposing to amend Article X, Section 20 of the Constitution of Louisiana, to remove restrictions on classified members of the fire and police civil service which prohibit certain political activities; to provide that such employees have the right to participate in certain political activities; to prohibit the exercise of certain influences on political activity of classified members of the fire and police civil service; and to specify an election for submission of the proposition to electors and provide a ballot proposition.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Senate and Governmental Affairs.

SENATE BILL NO. 327—

BY SENATOR MALONE

A JOINT RESOLUTION

Proposing to add Article III, Section 4(F) and Article IV, Section 3(E) and Section 21(F) of the Constitution of Louisiana, relative to elections; to provide that statewide elected officials, legislators and certain district offices shall resign their office after qualifying for a different office; and to specify an election for submission of the proposition to electors and provide a ballot proposition.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Senate and Governmental Affairs.

SENATE BILL NO. 328—

BY SENATOR BOISSIERE

A JOINT RESOLUTION

Proposing to amend Article VIII, Section 5(E) of the Constitution of Louisiana, to provide relative to the powers of the Board of Regents and the public postsecondary education management boards; to specify that the powers reserved to the management boards shall include the establishment of admissions criteria for the institutions under the control of each; to provide for submission of the proposed amendment to the electors; and to specify an election for submission of the proposed amendment to the electors; and provide a ballot proposition.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Education.

SENATE BILL NO. 329—

BY SENATOR DUPRE

A JOINT RESOLUTION

Proposing to amend Article VII, Section 20(A)(1) and (2) of the Constitution of Louisiana, to broaden the applicability of the homestead exemption; and to specify an election for submission of the proposition to electors and provide a ballot proposition.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Revenue and Fiscal Affairs.

SENATE BILL NO. 330—

BY SENATOR MOUNT

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 13:964.1(A)(2)(a), (B), and (D) and to enact R.S. 13:964.1(E), relative to courts; to provide relative to the Fourteenth Judicial District Court; to provide relative to the indigent transcript fund for such court; to increase the amount of court reporters fees paid from such fund; to provide relative to tasks for which court reporters shall be compensated from such fund; to provide with regard to the nature of the compensation paid to court reporters from such fund; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Judiciary A.

SENATE BILL NO. 331—

BY SENATOR BOISSIERE

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 24:513.4, relative to the legislative auditor; to authorize certain audits of district courts in Orleans Parish; to provide with respect to recommendations; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Finance.

SENATE BILL NO. 332—

BY SENATOR JONES

A JOINT RESOLUTION

Proposing to add Article XII, Section 15 of the Constitution of Louisiana, relative to administrative law; to authorize the legislature to provide by law for the creation, authority, powers, and procedures of a system of administrative law; to provide for submission of the proposed amendment to the electors; and to specify an election for submission of the proposition to electors and provide a ballot proposition.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Judiciary A.

SENATE BILL NO. 333—

BY SENATOR B. GAUTREAUX

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 9:2791.1, relative to access to a private waterway; to provide certain limited access for the purposes of certain recreational activities; to provide definitions, terms, conditions, requirements, and procedures; to provide relative to limited liability of the owner; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Natural Resources.

SENATE BILL NO. 334—

BY SENATOR HANKEL

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 22:230.6, relative to health insurance; to authorize health plans to offer mandate-free coverage to individuals and small groups on an optional basis; provides that health plans continue offering coverage that includes all mandates; provides that health plans offering mandate-free coverage disclose benefits not included at the time of application; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Insurance.

SENATE BILL NO. 335—

BY SENATOR MARIONNEAUX

AN ACT

To amend and reenact the Louisiana Code of Civil Procedure Art. 1038, relative to civil law and procedure; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Judiciary A.

SENATE BILL NO. 336—

BY SENATOR MCPHERSON

AN ACT

To enact Chapter 50 of Title 37 of Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 37:3371 through 3384.10, and to repeal R.S. 37:3371 through 3384, relative to addictive disorder professionals; to provide for definitions; to provide for categories of addictive disorder professionals; to provide for the Louisiana Board of Addictive Disorder Professionals; to provide for the composition of the board; to provide for the duties and responsibilities of the board; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator McPherson, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Health and Welfare.

SENATE BILL NO. 337—

BY SENATOR SMITH

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 24:513(I)(1)(c)(i)(aa), relative to audit requirements; to provide that monies received from rural development grants shall not be included in the computation of threshold limits for audit requirements; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Senate and Governmental Affairs.

SENATE BILL NO. 338—

BY SENATOR ADLEY (By Request)

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 30:2030(A)(1) and (B) and to enact R.S. 30:2030(D), relative to environmental quality; to authorize the classification of security sensitive and personal identification information as confidential; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Environmental Quality.

SENATE BILL NO. 339—

BY SENATOR HAINKEL

AN ACT

To amend and reenact Civil Code Arts. 571 and 573; relative to usufructs; to provide relative to the form of security on property subject to the usufruct; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Judiciary A.

SENATE BILL NO. 340—

BY SENATOR CHAISSON

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 56:1855(L), relative to scenic rivers; to provide relative to certain environmental remediation activities on Bayou Trepagnier; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Natural Resources.

SENATE BILL NO. 341—

BY SENATOR CHAISSON

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 32:300(A), 300(B)(3)(b) and 300(E) and to enact R.S. 32:300(F), relative to alcoholic beverages; to prohibit passengers in motor vehicles from possessing open alcoholic beverage containers; to prohibit such persons from consuming alcoholic beverages; to provide for exceptions; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Judiciary C.

SENATE BILL NO. 342—

BY SENATOR CHAISSON

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 27:302(E), relative to the Video Draw Poker Devices Control Law; to remove mandatory requirement that devices accept coins in the amount of the minimum wager offered by that device; to remove mandatory requirement that a video draw poker device provide one game for each coin of the minimum denomination deposited in that machine; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Judiciary B.

SENATE BILL NO. 343—

BY SENATOR CAIN

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 26:934(2), relative to the Responsible Vendor Program; to provide for server training courses and testing to be completed via the Internet; to provide for applicable fees to be paid with credit cards; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Judiciary A.

SENATE BILL NO. 344—

BY SENATORS SMITH AND MICHOT

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 9:315.8(E)(2), relative to child support; to provide relative to joint custody of a child; to provide relative to child support obligation in such circumstances; to require a credit on such obligation under certain circumstances; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Judiciary A.

SENATE BILL NO. 345—

BY SENATOR CHAISSON

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 27:306(A)(4)(c)(ii), relative to the Video Draw Poker Devices Control Law; to provide for requirements for qualified truck stop facilities; to provide for necessary restaurant criteria; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Judiciary B.

SENATE BILL NO. 346—

BY SENATOR CHAISSON

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 34:2471(A)(1)(d), (3)(d), (6), and (7), 2473(B)(3) and (F), and 2474(B), and to enact R.S. 34:2471(A)(8), 2472(D), 2476.1, 2476.2, and 2476.3, relative to the Port of South Louisiana, to provide for the membership, powers, duties, and functions of the Port of South Louisiana Commission; to provide relative to contracts for professional services; to provide for the authority to issue bonds; to provide for economic and industrial development functions; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Transportation, Highways, and Public Works.

SENATE BILL NO. 347—

BY SENATOR SMITH

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 48:282, relative to the sale of timber by the Department of Transportation and Development; to authorize the department to sell timber which has been cut or felled on state highway right-of-ways; to provide for the use of the proceeds; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Transportation, Highways, and Public Works.

SENATE BILL NO. 348—

BY SENATOR SMITH

AN ACT

To enact Chapter 3-C of Title 3 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950 to be comprised of R.S. 3:284 to R.S. 3:286 and to amend and reenact R.S. 27:52(2)(g), relative to the development of markets for agricultural and aquacultural products; to provide for certain terms, conditions and procedures; to provide definitions; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Agriculture, Forestry, Aquaculture and Rural Development.

SENATE BILL NO. 349—

BY SENATOR SMITH AND REPRESENTATIVE THOMPSON
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 49:191(17) and to repeal R.S. 49:191(13)(a), relative to the Department of Agriculture and Forestry, including provisions to provide for the re-creation of the Department of Agriculture and Forestry and the statutory entities made a part of the department by law; to provide for the effective termination date for all statutory authority for the existence of such statutory entities; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Agriculture, Forestry, Aquaculture and Rural Development.

SENATE BILL NO. 350—

BY SENATOR SMITH

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:2321, 2322(C) and 2323(C), and to enact R.S. 47:2322(F), relative to ad valorem property tax; to provide for a definition of fair market value for certain property; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Revenue and Fiscal Affairs.

SENATE BILL NO. 351—

BY SENATORS SMITH AND MCPHERSON AND REPRESENTATIVE TOWNSEND

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 24:513(A)(2) and (I)(1)(a) and R.S. 38:322, relative to audit reports of state agencies, departments, boards and commissions included in the Comprehensive Annual Financial Report; to prescribe the audit requirements of certain state entities; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Senate and Governmental Affairs.

SENATE BILL NO. 352—

BY SENATOR BOISSIERE

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 11:416(A)(3)(c), relative to the Louisiana State Employees' Retirement System; to provide with respect to reemployment of retired members; to provide with respect to earnings limitations; repayment of excess earnings, and notifications by the employing agency; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Retirement.

SENATE BILL NO. 353—

BY SENATOR ADLEY

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 22:635.4, relative to motor vehicle insurance policies; to provide for payment of claims to certain entities for property damage sustained by a vehicle used as security in a financial transaction; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Insurance.

SENATE BILL NO. 354—

BY SENATOR ADLEY

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 27:93.1, relative to the Louisiana Gaming Control Law; to provide with respect to the Louisiana Riverboat Economic Development and Gaming Control Act; to provide for admission

fees for riverboats; to provide for the allocation of funds derived from riverboat admission fees on certain riverboats within the city of Shreveport and in the parish of Bossier; to provide for the levying of admission fees in the city of Shreveport and in the parish of Bossier in certain cases; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Judiciary B.

SENATE BILL NO. 355—

BY SENATOR CHAISSON

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 27:310(D), relative to suitability requirements for the granting of licenses to operate video draw poker devices; to amend provisions regarding the exercise of significant influence over the activities of a licensee; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Judiciary B.

SENATE BILL NO. 356—

BY SENATOR CHEEK

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 33:2711.15(G), relative to local sales and use taxes; to provide for the renewal of certain additional sales and use taxes imposed by the city of Shreveport for use by the fire and police departments; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Local and Municipal Affairs.

SENATE BILL NO. 357—

BY SENATOR CHEEK

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 27:325 and to repeal R.S. 27:307(E), relative to the Video Draw Poker Devices Control Law; to authorize certain advertising by video draw poker licensees; to authorize the promotion of the play of video draw poker devices; to repeal advertising restrictions on the outside of video draw poker establishments; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Judiciary B.

SENATE BILL NO. 358—

BY SENATOR BAJOIE

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 19:136, 136.1(1), (3), and (4)(d), 136.2(B), 136.3(2) and (3)(a), 136.6 through 136.8, 136.9(B), and 136.11, to enact R.S. 19:136.12, and to repeal R.S. 19:136.1(4)(e) and 136.10, relative to the expropriation of blighted or abandoned property by the city of New Orleans; to provide for the applicability to redemptive periods; to provide relative to the definition of "abandoned property"; to provide for notice to the owner; to provide for substantial rehabilitation and the payment of taxes and liens; to provide for the contents and notice of the petition for expropriation; to provide relative to the answer and opposition to the petition and for the waiver of defenses; to provide for the cancellation of inscriptions; to provide for the sale or transfer of expropriated property to third persons; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Local and Municipal Affairs.

SENATE BILL NO. 359—

BY SENATOR HINES

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 40:1299.41(A)(7), (8) and (9), (E)(1), and (I), 1299.42(B)(1) and (2), 1299.44(A)(6)(a), 1299.45(A)(1) and (2), 1299.47(A)(1)(c), 1299.47(A)(2)(a) and (b), and

1299.47(C)(3)(f); relative to the Louisiana Medical Malpractice Act; to provide with respect to claims covered under the Act; to provide that health care providers qualified under the Act are not liable for more than one hundred thousand dollars plus interest and cost; to provide that the patient's compensation fund shall be maintained so as to provide a surplus of thirty percent of the annual surcharge premiums, reserves established for individual claims, reserves established for incurred but not reported claims, and expenses; to provide with respect to a corporation, partnership, limited liability partnership, or limited liability company that desires to be qualified as a health care provider, with the payment of an additional surcharge, and the filing of a proof of financial responsibility with the board; to provide with respect to certain filing fees in connection with the naming of additional qualified defendants named in any amendment to the request for review; to provide that all amendments to a request for review shall be filed with the division of administration and that upon receipt of any amendment, the division of administration is required to forward the amendment to the Patient's Compensation Fund Oversight Board within five days; to provide with respect to membership on a medical review panel; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Judiciary A.

SENATE BILL NO. 360—
BY SENATOR HINES

AN ACT

To amend and reenact the introductory paragraph of R.S. 40:1299.39.1(G) and the introductory paragraph of 1299.47(G) and to repeal R.S. 40:1299.47(K) and (L), relative to a one hundred eighty day time frame relative to medical review panel members and reports; to remove provisions requiring medical review panel members to be selected within one hundred eighty days; to remove provisions that require a report within one hundred eighty days of appointment of the last panel member; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Judiciary A.

SENATE BILL NO. 361—
BY SENATOR HOLDEN

AN ACT

To enact Chapter 16 of Title 42 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, comprised of R.S. 42:1251 through 1253, relative to the privatization of certain public services; to provide with regard to the obligations of public employers to their employees under certain circumstances; to provide with regard to the public employees compensation and benefits under certain circumstances; to require the provision and implementation of certain policies; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Senate and Governmental Affairs.

SENATE BILL NO. 362—
BY SENATOR HOLDEN

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 38:2184.1, relative to public contracts; to provide with respect to preferences in awarding public contracts; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Senate and Governmental Affairs.

SENATE BILL NO. 363—
BY SENATOR HOLDEN

AN ACT

To release the city of Baker School Board from certain obligations owed by the school board to the state of Louisiana; to release and discharge the city of Baker School Board from the

outstanding balance of certain debts owed by the state; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Finance.

SENATE BILL NO. 364—
BY SENATOR ROMERO

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 16:2(F), relative to the district attorney for the Sixteenth Judicial District; to provide for contributions from the parish school boards and governing authorities in the parishes of Iberia, St. Mary and St. Martin to defray costs of representation; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Judiciary C.

SENATE BILL NO. 365—
BY SENATOR HOLDEN

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 39:75(C)(2)(a) and the introductory paragraph of R.S. 39:75(E), relative to avoidance of budget deficits; to provide for the thresholds triggering adjustments to certain constitutionally protected or mandated appropriations to eliminate a projected deficit; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Finance.

SENATE BILL NO. 366—
BY SENATOR HINES

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 40:1484.4(C)(4)(c) and (e), relative to air-supported structures; to increase and to impose new fines for violations; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Judiciary A.

SENATE BILL NO. 367—
BY SENATOR HINES

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 33:2011(B), relative to health insurance; to provide with respect to the fire department; to provide for the classification of certain types of cancer as occupational diseases or infirmities connected with the duties of a firefighter; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Health and Welfare.

SENATE BILL NO. 368—
BY SENATOR DUPRE

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 38:291(F)(1)(d) and (2), and to enact R.S. 38:325(C)(4), relative to the Lafourche Basin Levee District; to provide for the authority, powers, duties, functions, and membership of the district; to provide for the scope of activities of the district; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Transportation, Highways, and Public Works.

SENATE BILL NO. 369—
BY SENATOR NEVERS

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 38:2212(K); relative to public works contracts; to require bidders of state contracts to provide employees health benefits; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Insurance.

SENATE BILL NO. 370—

BY SENATOR LENTINI

AN ACT

To amend and reenact the introductory paragraph of R.S. 40:1299.39.1(C)(1) and the introductory paragraph of R.S. 40:1299.47(C), relative to medical review panels; to provide for the appointment of the attorney member of such panel; to authorize such appointment by the plaintiff attorney under certain circumstances; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Judiciary A.

SENATE BILL NO. 371—

BY SENATOR LENTINI

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 40:1299.43(A)(1), (2), (3), (4), and (5), (B)(1), and (C), relative to medical malpractice; to provide relative to future medical benefits; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Judiciary A.

SENATE BILL NO. 372—

BY SENATOR THEUNISSEN

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 6:969.6(8), relative to the Louisiana Motor Vehicle Finance Act; to provide for the definition of a consumer loan; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Commerce, Consumer Protection and International Affairs.

SENATE BILL NO. 373—

BY SENATOR HOLLIS

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 39:1594(H) and to enact R.S. 39:1595.1(D), relative to the Louisiana Procurement Code; to require any public entity which awards a contract to an out-of-state vendor to submit certain reports; to provide for review following the awarding of certain contracts to out-of-state vendors; to allow the governor to overturn the award of contracts to out-of-state vendors; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Senate and Governmental Affairs.

SENATE BILL NO. 374—

BY SENATOR HOLLIS

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 6:965(C)(3) and (4), and 966, and to enact R.S. 6:965(C)(5) and (6), and 966.1, relative to additional default remedies; to provide for definitions; to provide for procedures for taking possession of collateral upon default; to provide for repossession licenses; to provide for the payment of certain fees by the secured party; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Commerce, Consumer Protection and International Affairs.

SENATE BILL NO. 375—

BY SENATOR MARIONNEAUX

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 56:115.1, relative to the definition of a legal buck deer; to provide for uniformity in regulations as to size and number of antlers which an antlered buck deer must possess in order to be legally taken; to provide for exceptions; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Natural Resources.

SENATE BILL NO. 376—

BY SENATOR MICHOT

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 13:5204(B) and 5209(B) and to enact R.S. 13:5206.1, relative to small claim courts; to provide for the waiver of right to appeal; to provide for the transfer of proceedings from small claims division; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Judiciary A.

SENATE BILL NO. 377—

BY SENATOR MICHOT

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 37:3173(A)(3) and 3182, and to enact R.S. 37:3186, and to repeal R.S. 37:3178, relative to interior designers; to provide for terms of office of the board; to provide for an increase in fees; to prohibit certain acts; to provide for penalties; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Commerce, Consumer Protection and International Affairs.

SENATE BILL NO. 378—

BY SENATOR MICHOT

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 11:701(9) and 766(B), relative to Teachers' Retirement System of Louisiana; to provide with respect to creditable service; to authorize service credit for part-time employees; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Retirement.

SENATE BILL NO. 379—

BY SENATOR NEVERS

AN ACT

To repeal R.S. 24:513(A)(1)(b)(v) and (I)(3), relative to legislative agencies; to provide with respect to the authority of the legislative auditor to perform audits on certain entities; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Senate and Governmental Affairs.

SENATE BILL NO. 380—

BY SENATOR NEVERS

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 24:513(A)(8) and to repeal R.S. 24:513(A)(1)(b)(v) and (I)(3) relative to legislative agencies; to provide with respect to the authority of the legislative auditor to perform audits on certain entities; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Finance.

SENATE BILL NO. 381—
BY SENATOR LENTINI**AN ACT**

To amend and reenact R.S. 40:1299.41(A)(16), relative to medical malpractice; to provide relative to the Patient's Compensation Fund; to include students being trained as paramedics under the coverage of such fund; to provide for the definition of "ambulance service"; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Judiciary A.

SENATE BILL NO. 382—
BY SENATOR LENTINI**AN ACT**

To enact R.S. 40:1299.49, relative to medical review panels; to provide relative to state and private medical claims; to provide for such claims for the same patient and the same injury; to limit review to one panel in such cases; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Judiciary A.

SENATE BILL NO. 383—
BY SENATOR MARIONNEAUX**AN ACT**

To amend and reenact Title 32 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, relative to motor vehicles and traffic regulations; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Transportation, Highways, and Public Works.

SENATE BILL NO. 384—
BY SENATOR LENTINI**AN ACT**

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:1703.1(A), relative to determination date for homestead exemption for parishes with a certain population; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Revenue and Fiscal Affairs.

SENATE BILL NO. 385—
BY SENATOR LENTINI**AN ACT**

To amend R.S. 47:1979, relative to reporting of property owned by Tax Commission members; to provide for a deadline to submit assessments; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Revenue and Fiscal Affairs.

SENATE BILL NO. 386—
BY SENATOR MARIONNEAUX**AN ACT**

To amend and reenact Title 49 of the Louisiana Statutes of 1950, relative to state administration; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Senate and Governmental Affairs.

SENATE BILL NO. 387—
BY SENATOR MCPHERSON**AN ACT**

To enact R.S. 37:935, relative to the practice of registered nursing; to provide authority for registered nurses to administer analgesic doses of anesthetic agents; to provide for the delegation of this authority to licensed practical nurses under certain circumstances; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Health and Welfare.

SENATE BILL NO. 388—
BY SENATOR MCPHERSON**AN ACT**

To enact R.S. 36:4(AA) and R.S. 49:210.2, relative to the office of the governor; to create the office of the coordinator of faith-based programs within the office of the governor; to provide for the duties and responsibilities of the coordinator; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Senate and Governmental Affairs.

SENATE BILL NO. 389—
BY SENATOR LENTINI**AN ACT**

To amend and reenact the Louisiana Code, relative to civil law; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Judiciary A.

SENATE BILL NO. 390—
BY SENATOR LENTINI**AN ACT**

To amend and reenact the Louisiana Civil Code Art. 551, relative to civil law; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Judiciary A.

SENATE BILL NO. 391—
BY SENATOR LENTINI**AN ACT**

To enact R.S. 1:61, relative to daylight saving time; to exempt the state from observation of daylight saving time; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Lentini, the bill was read by title and withdrawn from the files of the Senate.

SENATE BILL NO. 392—
BY SENATOR MCPHERSON**AN ACT**

To amend and reenact R.S. 40:2116(B)(1) and (D) and to enact R.S. 40:2116(H), relative to the facility need review process; to provide with respect to the facility need review process; to provide with respect to beds in adult residential centers; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Health and Welfare.

SENATE BILL NO. 393—
BY SENATOR MICHOT**AN ACT**

To amend and reenact R.S. 14:63(F), the introductory paragraph of (G) and (H) and to enact R.S. 14:63(E)(8), relative to criminal trespass; to provide that a professional land surveyor or his authorized personnel may enter or remain upon the structure, watercraft, movable or immovable property, of another; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Judiciary A.

SENATE BILL NO. 394—
BY SENATORS BARHAM AND MARIONNEAUX**AN ACT**

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:712(1), relative to gasoline taxes; to provide that diesel fuel be defined as a motor fuel for certain tax purposes; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Revenue and Fiscal Affairs.

SENATE BILL NO. 395—

BY SENATOR BARHAM

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 25:215(B)(13), relative to libraries; to provide that the administration and accounting functions for funds of the Ouachita Parish Public Library be transferred from the Ouachita Parish Police Jury to the Ouachita Parish Public Library Board of Control; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Local and Municipal Affairs.

SENATE BILL NO. 396—

BY SENATOR MARIONNEAUX

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 15:574.4(E), relative to parole; to provide for decisions of the Board of Parole; to provide that the board use a risk assessment analysis in its decision making process; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Judiciary B.

SENATE BILL NO. 397—

BY SENATOR BARHAM

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 18:532.1(C)(3)(b) and (H)(2)(a), relative to places for voting pursuant to the Louisiana Election Code; to provide for the consolidation of certain voting precincts; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Senate and Governmental Affairs.

SENATE BILL NO. 398—

BY SENATOR BARHAM (BY REQUEST)

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 14:211(A), (B) and (C), relative to offenses against property; to require written consent from owners of forest products prior to acquisition; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Judiciary C.

SENATE BILL NO. 399—

BY SENATOR MARIONNEAUX

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 27:306(A)(5)(b) and to repeal R.S. 27:306(A)(5)(d), relative to the Video Draw Poker Devices Control Law; to authorize the leasing or subleasing of fuel facilities at qualified truck stop facilities; and to provide for related matters; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Judiciary B.

SENATE BILL NO. 400—

BY SENATOR MARIONNEAUX

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:9004(B)(1), relative to the Louisiana Lottery Corporation; to provide with respect to the board of directors; to provide for rules of appointment; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Judiciary B.

SENATE BILL NO. 401—

BY SENATOR MARIONNEAUX

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 27:306(E)(2)(c), relative to video draw poker devices; to provide for license qualifications when a video draw poker device license is sold or transferred; to provide for the one hundred eighty day time limit allowing the operation of video draw poker devices under an old license pending approval of a license to operate in the name of a new establishment owner; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Judiciary B.

SENATE BILL NO. 402—

BY SENATOR MARIONNEAUX

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 23:1032(D), relative to workers' compensation; to provide with respect to exclusivity of remedy; to provide for exceptions to civil immunity under workers' compensation law; to provide that workers' compensation exclusivity as a remedy shall not extend to an employer who fails to provide adequate protection to employees; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Labor and Industrial Relations.

SENATE BILL NO. 403—

BY SENATOR MARIONNEAUX

AN ACT

To amend and reenact Title 34 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, relative to navigation and shipping; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Commerce, Consumer Protection and International Affairs.

SENATE BILL NO. 404—

BY SENATOR MARIONNEAUX

AN ACT

To amend and reenact Title 33 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, relative to municipalities and parishes; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Local and Municipal Affairs.

SENATE BILL NO. 405—

BY SENATOR MARIONNEAUX

AN ACT

To amend and reenact Title 37 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, relative to professions and occupations; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Senate and Governmental Affairs.

SENATE BILL NO. 406—

BY SENATOR BAJOE

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 36:251(C)(1) and to enact R.S. 36:258(J), relative to the Department of Health and Hospitals; to create the office of minority health within the department; to specify the purpose and functions of the office of minority health; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Health and Welfare.

SENATE BILL NO. 407—
BY SENATOR BAJOE

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 46:231.6 and 460.5(A) and to repeal R.S. 46:460.5(B)(3), relative to aid to needy families programs; to extend the termination of eligibility period for receiving benefits from the Family Independent Temporary Assistance Program (FITAP); to remove references to the twenty-four months limits on receiving FITAP benefits; to remove the provisions requiring the Department of Social Services to avoid counting six months of earnings toward eligibility benefits for the Temporary Assistance for Needy Families (TANF) and FITAP programs; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and withdrawn from the files of the Senate.

SENATE BILL NO. 408—
BY SENATOR BAJOE

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 36:251(C)(1) and to enact R.S. 36:258(J), relative to the Department of Health and Hospitals; to create the office of women's health within the department; to specify the purpose and functions of the office of women's health; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Health and Welfare.

SENATE BILL NO. 409—
BY SENATOR BAJOE

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 22:215.26, relative to health insurance; to require that optional coverage of treatment for morbid obesity by certain health insurance policies, contracts, and plans be offered; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Insurance.

SENATE BILL NO. 410—
BY SENATOR BAJOE

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 19:132, 132.1(A), and 132.8, to rename Part III-C of Title 19 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, relative to expropriations by the city of New Orleans; to provide for the expropriation of property needed for a street, drainage, water, utility, sewerage, or other capital project prior to judgment in the trial court fixing the amount of compensation due to the owner of the property; to provide for the application of existing expropriation laws; to provide for an effective date; to rename Part III-C of Title 19 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Local and Municipal Affairs.

SENATE BILL NO. 411—
BY SENATOR BAJOE

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 46:1403(A)(2) and 1404, relative to child care facilities and child-placing agencies; to clarify the law regarding mandated licensure of child-placing agencies; to include an adoption agency within the definition of "child-placing agency"; to provide for retroactive application; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Health and Welfare.

SENATE BILL NO. 412—
BY SENATOR N. GAUTREAUX

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 32:862(B)(1) and the introductory paragraph of R.S. 32:863.l(A), relative to compulsory motor vehicle security; to provide for additional forms of proof of compulsory security requirements; to require insurers to issue certificates of compliance; to require certificates of compliance to appear on windshields; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Insurance.

SENATE BILL NO. 413—
BY SENATOR MICHOT

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 17:194(D), relative to school nutrition; to provide for the establishment of a nutritional integrity policy by school boards; to limit accessibility of vending machines to students; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Education.

SENATE BILL NO. 414—
BY SENATOR MICHOT

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 9:3144(A)(3) and (B)(1), relative to the New Home Warranty Act; to reduce the warranty period for certain major structural defects; to clarify the warranty exclusion for trees; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Judiciary A.

SENATE BILL NO. 415—
BY SENATOR MICHOT

AN ACT

To amend R.S. 33:2493(C)(1), and to repeal R.S. 33:2493(C)(2), relative to civil service; to provide with respect to fire and police civil service for municipalities between 13,000 and 250,000; to remove the requirement that any applicant admitted to a civil service test for a position above entry level be a qualified elector of the state of Louisiana; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Local and Municipal Affairs.

SENATE BILL NO. 416—
BY SENATOR MICHOT

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 37:2150.1(14), and Part III of Chapter 24 of Title 37 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 37:2180.1 through 2180.5, relative to heating, ventilation, air conditioning, and refrigeration ("HVACR") contracting; to provide for the registration of HVACR contractors; to provide for requirements for certain HVACR contractors; to provide for requirements for certain HVACR contracts; to provide fees for registrations and renewal; to provide for administrative penalties; to provide for exemptions from registration; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Commerce, Consumer Protection and International Affairs.

SENATE BILL NO. 417—
BY SENATOR MICHOT

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 51:1423, relative to the Unfair Trade Practices and Consumer Protection Law; to require businesses to notify consumers of a breach of security concerning certain data; to provide for methods of notification to consumers; to provide

definitions; to provide for penalties; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Commerce, Consumer Protection and International Affairs.

SENATE BILL NO. 418—

BY SENATOR MCPHERSON

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 37:1041(C)(2), relative to the practice of optometry; to revise the definition of the term "diagnostic and therapeutic pharmaceutical agent"; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Commerce, Consumer Protection and International Affairs.

SENATE BILL NO. 419—

BY SENATOR MCPHERSON

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:31(1), relative to income tax; to provide for nonresident status for certain members of the armed forces and their spouses; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Revenue and Fiscal Affairs.

SENATE BILL NO. 420—

BY SENATOR MARIONNEAUX

AN ACT

To amend and reenact Code of Civil Procedure Art. 1920, relative to court costs; to require the non-prevailing party to pay all costs if the suit is or the defense to the suit is frivolous; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Judiciary A.

SENATE BILL NO. 421—

BY SENATOR MARIONNEAUX

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 27:317, relative to video draw poker device owners; to remove the residence and domicile requirements for obtaining a license as a video draw poker device owner; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Judiciary B.

SENATE BILL NO. 422—

BY SENATOR MARIONNEAUX

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:712(1), relative to taxation; to provide for the definition of motor fuel for certain tax purposes; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Revenue and Fiscal Affairs.

SENATE BILL NO. 423—

BY SENATOR MARIONNEAUX

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 15:574.6, relative to parole; to provide for good time for certain parolees; to provide for the amount of good time; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Judiciary B.

SENATE BILL NO. 424—

BY SENATOR N. GAUTREAUX

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 17:3048.1(X), relative to the Louisiana Tuition Opportunity Program for Students; to provide for the eligibility of certain students to receive awards; to authorize the Louisiana Student Financial Assistance Commission, with assistance from the Board of Regents, to promulgate rules providing for eligibility; to establish a priority order of awards among students; to provide that the awards shall be funded from monies forfeited by students who failed to maintain continued eligibility; to provide for continued eligibility; to provide guidelines and limitations; to provide for effectiveness; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Education.

SENATE BILL NO. 425—

BY SENATOR JONES

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 17:2118, relative to institutions of learning in general; to require that the establishment and maintenance of a public education system be accomplished free from certain discrimination; to prohibit the appropriation of or expenditure of public funding which discriminates directly or effectively against any person in violation of such requirement; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Education.

SENATE BILL NO. 426—

BY SENATOR JONES

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 23:1021(13), relative to workers' compensation; to provide with respect to definitions; to provide for the definition of "medical case manager" in the planning and coordination of health care services of an injured employee; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Labor and Industrial Relations.

SENATE BILL NO. 427—

BY SENATOR JONES

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 49:149.18, relative to public buildings; to provide for naming of state buildings; to require that all names for state public buildings be confirmed by the Senate; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Senate and Governmental Affairs.

SENATE BILL NO. 428—

BY SENATOR JONES

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 18:1501.1, relative to election campaign finance; to provide for expenditure reports by persons not candidates or political committees; to provide reports of certain contributions, loans or expenditures within forty-eight hours during the twenty days prior to an election; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Senate and Governmental Affairs.

SENATE BILL NO. 429—
BY SENATOR JONES

AN ACT

To amend and reenact Code of Criminal Procedure Art. 66(A), relative to criminal prosecution; to provide relative to the subpoena of a witness by the attorney general or a district attorney; to limit such subpoena authority to the investigatory period of a criminal proceeding; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Judiciary C.

SENATE BILL NO. 430—
BY SENATOR JONES

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 15:572.4(D), relative to pardons; to provide relative to eligibility to apply for a pardon or commutation of sentence; to provide relative to a person serving a term of life imprisonment; to provide for the period of time before which such offender is authorized to apply for a pardon or commutation of sentence; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Judiciary B.

SENATE BILL NO. 431—
BY SENATOR JONES

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 37:831(71), relative to embalming and funeral directors; to provide for requirements to manage a funeral home; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Commerce, Consumer Protection and International Affairs.

SENATE BILL NO. 432—
BY SENATOR JONES

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 23:1141(B) and 1143(B)(1), relative to workers' compensation; to provide with respect to attorney fees in workers' compensation matters; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Labor and Industrial Relations.

SENATE BILL NO. 433—
BY SENATOR THEUNISSEN AND REPRESENTATIVE PIERRE
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 36:610(J) and Subpart A-1 of Part VII of Chapter 1 of Title 56 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, comprised of R.S. 56:360.1 through 360.3, relative to non-indigenous aquatic species; to create the Louisiana Aquatic Invasive Species Council and the Louisiana Aquatic Invasive Species Advisory Task Force; to provide for their powers, duties, functions, and responsibilities; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Natural Resources.

SENATE BILL NO. 434—
BY SENATOR THEUNISSEN

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 2:903(B), relative to airports; to provide relative to the General Aviation and Reliever Airport Maintenance Grant Program; to authorize the use of Transportation Trust Fund monies; to provide limitations; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Transportation, Highways, and Public Works.

SENATE BILL NO. 435—
BY SENATOR THEUNISSEN

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 17:3048.1(A)(1)(e)(vi), and (B)(2)(b)(vi) and (c)(vi), relative to the Tuition Opportunity Program for Students; to include certain agriscience courses as a science option in the core curriculum; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Education.

SENATE BILL NO. 436—
BY SENATOR JONES

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 36:4(A)(introductory paragraph), to enact R.S. 36:4(A)(15) and Chapter 21-A of Title 36 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 36:791 through 797, and to repeal R.S. 36:4(L); to create and provide for the Department of Housing in the executive branch of state government; to provide for the department and its officers and offices, and their powers, duties, functions, and responsibilities; to provide for the transfer of office of rural development to the department; to provide for the effectiveness of the Act; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Senate and Governmental Affairs.

SENATE BILL NO. 437—
BY SENATOR JACKSON

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 13:4291(A), (B)(1), and (C), relative to execution; to provide with respect to child support payments; to provide for judgments for such payments; to provide for the initiation of prescription on certain child support judgements; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Judiciary A.

SENATE BILL NO. 438—
BY SENATOR ULLO

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 14:67.10(B)(2), relative to theft of goods; to increase the threshold value of misappropriated goods for the purpose of meeting felony status; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Judiciary C.

SENATE BILL NO. 439—
BY SENATOR ULLO

AN ACT

To repeal R.S. 14:78.1 (C), relative to aggravated incest; to repeal the defense of consent where the victim is a stepson or stepdaughter eighteen years of age or older.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Judiciary C.

SENATE BILL NO. 440—
BY SENATOR JACKSON

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 40:34(F), relative to vital records forms; to authorize the Department of Social Services to use of the contents of birth certificates to obtain a court order for child support in certain cases; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Judiciary A.

SENATE BILL NO. 441—

BY SENATOR ULLO

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 14:30(A)(7), relative to first degree murder; to provide for intent to inflict great bodily harm while engaged in ritualistic acts; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Judiciary C.

SENATE BILL NO. 442—

BY SENATOR ULLO

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 33:1560 and the introductory paragraph of R.S. 40:34(B)(2)(r), relative to medical certifications; to require that medical certificates indicating cause of death be signed by physicians; to provide for the appointment and compensation of certain physicians; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Health and Welfare.

SENATE BILL NO. 443—

BY SENATOR ULLO

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 14:32.6 relative to first degree feticide; to provide for assault by drive by shooting and second degree kidnapping in the crime of first degree feticide; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Judiciary C.

SENATE BILL NO. 444—

BY SENATOR ULLO

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 14:64.4 relative to robbery; to rename the offense of aggravated robbery to second degree robbery; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Judiciary C.

SENATE BILL NO. 445—

BY SENATOR JACKSON

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 9:315.40(2), relative to child support; to provide relative to the administrative suspension of certain licenses; to provide for definitions; to provide for periodic payments for arrearages; to provide for compliance with an order of support; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Judiciary A.

SENATE BILL NO. 446—

BY SENATOR JACKSON

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 46:153.3(D)(5) and to enact R.S. 46:153.3(D)(5)(f), relative to the Medicaid Drug Program; to provide for duties and responsibilities of the Medicaid Pharmaceutical and Therapeutics Committee; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Health and Welfare.

SENATE BILL NO. 447—

BY SENATOR MARIONNEAUX

AN ACT

To amend and reenact the Louisiana Code of Evidence, relative to the law of evidence; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Judiciary A.

SENATE BILL NO. 448—

BY SENATOR MARIONNEAUX

AN ACT

To amend and reenact Title 9 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, relative to Civil Code ancillaries; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Judiciary A.

SENATE BILL NO. 449—

BY SENATOR MARIONNEAUX

AN ACT

To amend and reenact Title 26 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, relative to alcoholic beverages; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Judiciary C.

SENATE BILL NO. 450—

BY SENATOR MARIONNEAUX

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 14:68.5, relative to the Louisiana Criminal Code; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Judiciary C.

SENATE BILL NO. 451—

BY SENATOR MARIONNEAUX

AN ACT

To amend and reenact the Louisiana Civil Code, relative to civil law; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Judiciary A.

SENATE BILL NO. 452—

BY SENATOR MARIONNEAUX

AN ACT

To amend and reenact Title 22 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, relative to insurance; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Insurance.

SENATE BILL NO. 453—

BY SENATOR MARIONNEAUX

AN ACT

To amend and reenact the Louisiana Code of Criminal Procedure, relative to criminal law and procedure; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Judiciary C.

SENATE BILL NO. 454—

BY SENATOR MARIONNEAUX

AN ACT

To amend and reenact Title 23 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, relative to labor and workers' compensation; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Labor and Industrial Relations.

SENATE BILL NO. 455—

BY SENATOR MARIONNEAUX

AN ACT

To amend and reenact Title 13 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, relative to courts; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Judiciary A.

SENATE BILL NO. 456—

BY SENATOR MARIONNEAUX

AN ACT

To amend and reenact Title 10 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, relative to Commercial Laws; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Commerce, Consumer Protection and International Affairs.

SENATE BILL NO. 457—

BY SENATOR MARIONNEAUX

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 15:301, relative to criminal procedure; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Judiciary C.

SENATE BILL NO. 458—

BY SENATOR JONES

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 18:44(A) and (B)(5)(b), 110(B)(1), 197, 402(B), (C)(introductory paragraph), (F)(2) and (G), 431(A)(1)(b), 433(G)(1) and (H)(1)(introductory paragraph), 434(A)(1), (C)(introductory paragraph), and (D)(1) and (2), 435(A)(1) and (B), 436, 453, 467(introductory paragraph) and (2), 468(A), 552(A)(introductory paragraph), 1272(A), 1278(B), 1279, 1300(C)(1), 1300.7(A), 1306(A)(4) and (C)(2), 1307(A)(8) and (D), 1308(A)(2)(a), 1311(D)(5)(a), 1314(C)(1) and (2) and (D), 1333(D)(1)(e) and (E)(1), 1355(6), 1401(B), 1402(B)(1)(c), 1405(A), 1406(B), 1407, 1409(B)(1) and (2), 1432(A), 1461(A)(17) and to enact R.S. 18:1275.1 through 1275.23, relative to elections; to provide for a party primary system of elections for congressional offices, including provisions to provide for nomination of candidates for general elections for congressional offices by party primary elections, including a first primary election and a second primary election if no candidate receives a majority vote in the first primary election; for qualification of candidates for congressional office having no party affiliation in the general election; for election in the general election by plurality vote; for voting for congressional offices by a voter registered as affiliated with the party in the party primary elections; to provide for voting of unaffiliated voters in party primaries; to provide for election dates; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Senate and Governmental Affairs.

SENATE BILL NO. 459—

BY SENATOR HAINKEL

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 33:4881, relative to Orleans Parish; to provide with respect to maximum penalties that can be imposed by ordinance in Orleans Parish; to authorize the governing authority for the parish of Orleans to provide for a fine and a sentence of imprisonment for violation of any ordinance prohibiting the dumping of trash and other substances; to provide with respect to such substances; to specify those places where dumping may be so penalized; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Local and Municipal Affairs.

SENATE BILL NO. 460—

BY SENATOR DUPRE

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:1703(A), relative to the homestead exemption; to require any taxpayer entitled to the homestead exemption to own and occupy the homestead before a certain date in the calendar year in which the exemption is claimed; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Revenue and Fiscal Affairs.

SENATE BILL NO. 461—

BY SENATOR FONTENOT

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 30:2050.31, relative to environmental quality; to provide for appeals of judicial decisions, judgments, orders, or rulings affecting Department of Environmental Quality permit actions, enforcement actions, and declaratory rulings; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Judiciary A.

SENATE BILL NO. 462—

BY SENATOR FONTENOT

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 9:3200.1, relative to residential property disclosure; to require inspection of individual mechanical plants; to provide for the duties of the mortgagee; to provide for conditions for the termination of the real estate contract; to provide relative to information contained in the individual mechanical plant disclosure document; to provide relative to the liability of the mortgagee; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Judiciary A.

SENATE BILL NO. 463—

BY SENATOR DARDENNE

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 17:3803(B)(1)(h), relative to the treasurer's investment authority of Louisiana Education Quality Trust Fund monies; to provide for the investment of Louisiana Education Quality Trust Fund monies in certain permitted investments; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Finance.

SENATE BILL NO. 464—

BY SENATOR FONTENOT

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 30:2018(C) and to enact R.S. 30:2017(B)(3), relative to the public hearings conducted by the Department of Environmental Quality; to provide for the location of the public hearing; to authorize state legislators and other statewide elected officials to speak at such public hearings; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Environmental Quality.

SENATE BILL NO. 465—

BY SENATOR FONTENOT

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 14:62.1, relative to unauthorized entry of a critical industrial infrastructure; to define unauthorized entry of a critical industrial infrastructure; to provide penalties; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Judiciary C.

SENATE BILL NO. 466—
BY SENATOR FONTENOT

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 40:1376(F), relative to employees of the Department of Environmental Quality who are commissioned by the office of state police; to prohibit the duplication of badges; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Environmental Quality.

SENATE BILL NO. 467—
BY SENATOR FONTENOT

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 30:2025(H), relative to environmental quality; to provide a limitation on the time within which actions, suits or proceedings for the assessment or enforcement of any civil fine or penalty may be instituted; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Environmental Quality.

SENATE BILL NO. 468—
BY SENATOR FONTENOT

AN ACT

To enact Part II of Chapter 21 of Title 30 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 30:2551 and 2552, relative to environmental quality; to provide for the Brownfields Cleanup Revolving Loan Fund; to provide for purpose; to provide for capitalization; to provide for uses; to provide for authority to take loans, grants, and incur debt; to provide for the administration of the Brownfields Cleanup Revolving Loan Fund; to provide for bonds, notes, or other evidence of indebtedness; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Environmental Quality.

SENATE BILL NO. 469—
BY SENATOR DARDENNE

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 18:467, to provide relative to qualifying for primary elections; to increase the time period from qualifying to election; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Senate and Governmental Affairs.

SENATE BILL NO. 470—
BY SENATOR DARDENNE

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 14:95.1(A), relative to possession of a firearm or carrying a concealed weapon by a person convicted of certain felonies; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Judiciary C.

SENATE BILL NO. 471—
BY SENATOR DARDENNE

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 18:1505.2(A), relative to elections; to provide for the imposition of a penalty on a person who makes a campaign contribution through or in the name of another person; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Senate and Governmental Affairs.

SENATE BILL NO. 472—
BY SENATOR DARDENNE

AN ACT

To enact Chapter 59 of Title 37 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 37:3611 through 3617, and to repeal Chapter 6 of Title 34 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, comprised of R.S. 34:941 through 1127, and R.S. 42:1119(C)(3), relative to marine pilots; to create the Louisiana River Pilot Commission; to provide for laws regulating such occupation; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Commerce, Consumer Protection and International Affairs.

SENATE BILL NO. 473—
BY SENATOR DARDENNE

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 17:3048.5, relative to the Louisiana Tuition Opportunity Program for students; to establish the TOPS-Grad award; to provide for the eligibility of certain graduate or professional students to receive awards; to provide for award qualifications, amounts, and continuation; to provide for guidelines and limitations; to authorize the development of rules; to provide for effectiveness; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Education.

SENATE BILL NO. 474—
BY SENATOR DARDENNE

AN ACT

To amend and reenact Civil Code Art. 1514 and to repeal R.S. 9:1202, relative to security for a surviving spouse; to repeal the authority of the court to order certain forms of security for the usufruct of a surviving spouse; to provide relative to such security requested by a forced heir; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Judiciary A.

SENATE BILL NO. 475—
BY SENATOR DARDENNE

AN ACT

To repeal R.S. 42:1123(13), relative to public officers and employees; to repeal provisions relative to an elected official's ability to receive certain gifts; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Senate and Governmental Affairs.

SENATE BILL NO. 476—
BY SENATOR MOUNT

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 17:3129(B)(2)(b), relative to the powers and duties of the Board of Regents; to provide relative to the content of budget proposals submitted by the Board of Regents to the legislature and to the governor; to provide relative to funding for capital construction and improvements; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Revenue and Fiscal Affairs.

SENATE BILL NO. 477—
BY SENATOR DARDENNE

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 40:962.1.1(A), relative to possession of ephedrine, pseudoephedrine, or phenylpropanolamine or their salts, optical isomers and salts of optical isomers; to redefine the crime relative to the amount of such substances; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Judiciary C.

SENATE BILL NO. 478—

BY SENATOR FIELDS

AN ACT

To amend and reenact Code of Criminal Procedure Article 881(B)(1) and to enact Code of Criminal Procedure Article 881.1(F), relative to general sentencing provisions; to provide for amendment of sentence for those sentenced to imprisonment at hard labor; to provide a judge with more discretionary authority in amending and reconsidering a sentence; to authorize a defendant to file a motion for reconsideration of sentence upon completion of the IMPACT program; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Judiciary C.

SENATE BILL NO. 479—

BY SENATOR B. GAUTREAU

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 42:1119(B)(2)(b)(i), relative to nepotism; to provide that a licensed physician or registered nurse who is an immediate family member of a hospital service district board or authority member may be employed by such hospital service district based on population; to increase the population limits; to provide for recusal; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Senate and Governmental Affairs.

SENATE BILL NO. 480—

BY SENATOR THEUNISSEN

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 33:4574(A)(2)(o) and 4574.1-A(A)(1)(o), relative to tourist commissions; to provide for the territorial composition of the Jefferson Davis Parish Tourist Commission; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Local and Municipal Affairs.

SENATE BILL NO. 481—

BY SENATOR CRAVINS

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 40:2106.1, relative to state hospitals; to require hospitals to report and disclose statistical quality data; to require DHH to make such information available to the public; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Health and Welfare.

SENATE BILL NO. 482—

BY SENATOR CRAVINS

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 9:3537, relative to the Louisiana Consumer Credit Law; to provide for prohibited activities by licensed lenders; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Commerce, Consumer Protection and International Affairs.

SENATE BILL NO. 483—

BY SENATOR ULLO

AN ACT

To amend and reenact the introductory paragraph of R.S. 25:380.72(C), relative to the Jean Lafitte Marine Fisheries Museum; to provide relative to the qualifications for members of the museum board; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Education.

SENATE BILL NO. 484—

BY SENATOR HINES

AN ACT

To enact Chapter 30 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 40:2801 through 2803, relative to the Louisiana Interagency Task Force on the Future of Family Medicine; to provide for creation of the task force; to provide for definitions; to provide for the composition of the task force; to provide for duties and powers of the task force; to provide for reporting deadlines and a termination date for the task force; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Health and Welfare.

SENATE BILL NO. 485—

BY SENATOR MOUNT

AN ACT

To enact Part III-A of Chapter 1 of Title 28, consisting of R.S. 28:70 through 87, relative to sex offenses; to provide relative to sexually violent predators; to authorize civil commitment of such offenders; to provide for definitions; to provide for notification of release of such offenders; to require establishment of a multidisciplinary evaluation team; to require assessment of such offenders by such team; to require appointment of a prosecutor's review committee in the office of the attorney general; to authorize such committee to identify potentially sexually violent predators; to require judicial determination of probable cause to believe a person is a sexually violent predator; to provide for an adversarial cause hearing; to provide for a trial to determine whether a person is a sexually violent predator; to provide for indigent defense; to authorize an outside examination at request of respondent at the discretion of the court; to authorize jury trials under certain circumstances; to provide for commitment procedures; to require annual examinations of persons so committed; to provide relative to persons determined to be incompetent to stand trial; to provide for transitional release; to provide for conditional release; to provide for discharge; to provide for notification of victims; to provide for escape of a person so committed; to provide for immunity for civil liability for certain agencies of the state and certain employees; to provide for the release of confidential and privileged records; to require the continued confidentiality of such records; to require the adoption of rules and regulations; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Judiciary C.

SENATE BILL NO. 486—

BY SENATOR CRAVINS

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 15:1202(A)(introductory paragraph) and 1204.1(A) and (B)(11), R.S. 36:401(B)(1) and (2) and (C)(1), 402, 405(A)(1)(introductory paragraph) and (c) and (2), (B), and (C), 406(A), (B)(3), and (C), 407(B) and (C), and 408(G)(1) and (H), R.S. 39:21.3(D), and R.S. 46:2602(B)(3), and to enact R.S. 15:1202(A)(27), 1228.2(10) and 1228.3(14) and R.S. 36:405(D) and 406(B)(4), relative to the reorganization of the Department of Public Safety and Corrections; to create youth services as an organizational unit of the department; to provide for the composition and officers of youth services; to create the office of management and finance for youth services; to place the office of youth development within youth services; to provide for the powers, duties, functions, and responsibilities of department officers; to provide for office functions; to provide relative to membership and functions of related boards, commissions, and like entities; to provide for implementation; to provide for effective dates; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Judiciary B.

SENATE BILL NO. 487—
BY SENATOR HEITMEIER

AN ACT

To amend R.S. 32:413(B), relative to licenses; waives collection of any charges required for duplicate licenses under certain conditions; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Transportation, Highways, and Public Works.

SENATE BILL NO. 488—
BY SENATOR HEITMEIER

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 23:1021(13), relative to workers' compensation; to provided with respect to definitions; to provide for to the definition of "owner operators" who provide transportation services; to exempt "owner operators" from being classified as employees; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Labor and Industrial Relations.

SENATE BILL NO. 489—
BY SENATOR CRAVINS

AN ACT

To enact Chapter 5-B of Title 32 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 32:1101 through 1103, relative to motorboat liability insurance; to require liability coverage for motorboats; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Insurance.

SENATE BILL NO. 490—
BY SENATOR CRAVINS

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 15:150(C)(1) and (F)(1) and to enact R.S. 15:150(B)(3), relative to regional defense service centers; to provide that a regional defense service center shall include a regional juvenile defense center; to grant a regional defense service center authority to contract for representation of juveniles in all courts having juvenile jurisdiction; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Judiciary B.

SENATE BILL NO. 491—
BY SENATOR CRAVINS

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 46:1941.1, 1941.2, 1941.5, and 1941.8, and to repeal R.S. 46:1941.3, 1941.4, 1941.7, 1941.9 through 1941.13, relative to youth services; to provide for the creation of youth services planning boards; to provide for the purpose of such boards; to provide with respect to membership; to repeal provisions of law providing for parish youth services programs; to repeal provisions providing for parish youth services subsidy program; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Judiciary B.

SENATE BILL NO. 492—
BY SENATOR SCHEDLER

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 40:2009.24, relative to nursing homes; to provide for the creation of the Nursing Home Quality and Efficiency Board; to provide for membership of the board; to provide for the functions and duties of the board; to provide for rule making by

the Department of Health and Hospitals; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Health and Welfare.

SENATE BILL NO. 493—
BY SENATOR SCHEDLER

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 46:2721 and to rename Chapter 56 of Title 46 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, relative to funds; to abolish the Medicaid School-Based Administrative Claiming Trust Fund; to provide for certain reimbursable claims to public schools; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Finance.

SENATE BILL NO. 494—
BY SENATOR SCHEDLER

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 56:320(A)(1) and (C)(1), relative to methods of taking saltwater fish; to authorize the use of multi-pronged barbed gigs for taking flounder in salt water; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Natural Resources.

SENATE BILL NO. 495—
BY SENATOR SCHEDLER

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 40:2115.15(B), relative to public hearings; to provide for locations of hearings; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Health and Welfare.

SENATE BILL NO. 496—
BY SENATOR SCHEDLER

AN ACT

To name a portion of Interstate 10 from the Mississippi State Line as the Stephen E. Ambrose Memorial Highway; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Transportation, Highways, and Public Works.

SENATE BILL NO. 497—
BY SENATOR DARDENNE

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 9:3259.2, relative to immovables; to provide relative to the leasing of immovable property; to provide for late charges for such leases; to limit such charges; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Judiciary A.

SENATE BILL NO. 498—
BY SENATOR CRAVINS

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 23:1201(A), (B), (C), (D), (E), (F)(2) and (3), the introductory paragraph of R.S. 23:1201(H) and R.S. 23:1201(I) and (J), relative to workers' compensation; to include Louisiana Insurance Guaranty Association as an entity responsible for penalties and attorneys fees when medical treatment or indemnity benefits is improperly delayed or denied; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Labor and Industrial Relations.

SENATE BILL NO. 499—

BY SENATOR MCPHERSON

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 39:113(C), relative to capital outlay projects; to provide for reimbursement of the administrative costs of projects including those of non-state entities; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Revenue and Fiscal Affairs.

SENATE BILL NO. 500—

BY SENATOR LENTINI AND REPRESENTATIVES WALKER AND ANSARDI

AN ACT

To amend and reenact Code of Civil Procedure Art. 2411(B), relative to garnishment; to provide relative to required documents for such action; to include a notice of seizure as a required document; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Judiciary A.

SENATE BILL NO. 501—

BY SENATORS HEITMEIER AND HINES AND REPRESENTATIVES ALARIO AND SALTER

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R. S. 17:3129.6(B), relative to the Higher Education Initiatives Fund; to provide for the use of monies in the fund; to delete the requirement that the Joint Legislative Committee on the Budget approve the distribution and allocation of such monies; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Finance.

SENATE BILL NO. 502—

BY SENATORS HEITMEIER AND HINES AND REPRESENTATIVES ALARIO AND SALTER

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 39:71(D), relative to appropriations; to authorize "seeding" funds for state agencies as needed under specific circumstances; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Finance.

SENATE BILL NO. 503—

BY SENATORS HEITMEIER AND HINES AND REPRESENTATIVES ALARIO AND SALTER

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 39:330.1(A) and to enact R.S. 39:321(E), (F), (G), and (H), relative to state property control; authorizes the state to sell surplus movable property through the use of certain electronic technology; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Finance.

SENATE BILL NO. 504—

BY SENATORS HEITMEIER AND HINES AND REPRESENTATIVES ALARIO AND SALTER

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 36:8(B)(1) and to enact R.S. 36:8(B)(2)(f), relative to fiscal oversight and program evaluation; to provide for certain annual reporting requirements; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Finance.

SENATE BILL NO. 505—

BY SENATORS HEITMEIER AND HINES AND REPRESENTATIVES ALARIO AND SALTER

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 39:98.3(A), relative to certain funds derived from the tobacco settlement; to provide with respect to actual earnings from interest, dividends, and capital gains in the Millennium Trust; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Finance.

SENATE BILL NO. 506—

BY SENATORS HEITMEIER AND HINES AND REPRESENTATIVES ALARIO AND SALTER

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 17:421.7(A), relative to the Support Education in Louisiana First Fund; to provide monies remaining in the fund to retain their allocation as provided by law; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Finance.

SENATE BILL NO. 507—

BY SENATORS HEITMEIER AND HINES AND REPRESENTATIVES ALARIO AND SALTER

AN ACT

To repeal R. S. 39:1537(6), relative to risk management; to delete the requirement for certain information to be included in a report on the state's risk management program; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Finance.

SENATE BILL NO. 508—

BY SENATORS HEITMEIER AND HINES AND REPRESENTATIVES ALARIO AND SALTER

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 39:95.5(C), relative to the Tobacco Settlement Financing Corporation; to provide relative to meetings of the board; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Finance.

SENATE BILL NO. 509—

BY SENATORS HEITMEIER AND HINES AND REPRESENTATIVES ALARIO AND SALTER

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 42:461, relative to payroll withholdings; to provide for payment of employee compensation; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Finance.

SENATE BILL NO. 510—

BY SENATOR HEITMEIER

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 22:234(A), 237(A), 238, and 240(B)(3), (D), and (F)(4), relative to the Louisiana Health Plan, to provide relative to the board of directors of the plan, eligibility requirements, administration of the benefits plan, and benefit availability; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Insurance.

SENATE BILL NO. 511—

BY SENATORS ELLINGTON, MICHOT AND SMITH AND REPRESENTATIVE THOMPSON

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 36:802.3 and to enact R.S. 36:109(B)(3) and Part IV of Chapter 3 of Title 51 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 51:955 through 958, relative to the Department of Economic Development; to create the Louisiana Broadband Council and to provide for its transfer; to provide for legislative findings; to provide for definitions; to provide for the membership, terms, vacancies, and compensation of the Council; to provide for the duties of the Council and a strategic plan; to provide for assistance from other entities; to provide for the establishment of subcommittees; to provide for staff, consultants, and the utilization of monies; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Ellington, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Agriculture, Forestry, Aquaculture and Rural Development.

SENATE BILL NO. 512—

BY SENATOR ELLINGTON

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 3:3105(B) and to enact R.S. 3:3107, relative to the importation of cervid species; to provide for entry requirements of cervid species into Louisiana; to provide for penalties; to provide for quarantines; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Ellington, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Agriculture, Forestry, Aquaculture and Rural Development.

SENATE BILL NO. 513—

BY SENATOR ELLINGTON

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:1856(D)(3), (E), and (F), 1857(B)(1)(c) and (2), 1998(A)(1)(b)(ii), 2110(A)(2), (C), (E), and (F), relative to ad valorem property tax payment under protest procedure; to make permanent the procedures; to provide for the use of protested amounts; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Revenue and Fiscal Affairs.

SENATE BILL NO. 514—

BY SENATOR ELLINGTON

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 32:1311(D)(3), relative to vehicle inspections; to provide for exemptions from inspection requirements; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Transportation, Highways, and Public Works.

SENATE BILL NO. 515—

BY SENATOR ELLINGTON

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 27:306(A)(4)(a) and to enact R.S. 27:306.1, relative to the Video Draw Poker Devices Control Law; to provide for a moratorium on the licensing of qualified truck stop facilities; to provide with respect to the transfer of qualified truck stop facility licenses; to provide for the continued operation of video draw poker devices following a license transfer; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Judiciary B.

SENATE BILL NO. 516—

BY SENATOR ELLINGTON

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 32:1311(D)(2)(a), relative to vehicle inspections; to provide for exemptions from inspection requirements; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Transportation, Highways, and Public Works.

SENATE BILL NO. 517—

BY SENATOR ELLINGTON

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 27:3(15.1) and 30.3, relative to the Gaming Control Law; to provide for a definition of a "Louisiana business," "Louisiana firm," and "Louisiana corporation"; to provide exceptions; to provide with respect to the number of employees who must be Louisiana residents if the business, company, or corporation is located outside of Louisiana; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Ellington, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Commerce, Consumer Protection and International Affairs.

SENATE BILL NO. 518—

BY SENATOR ELLINGTON

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 32:386(B), relative to weight placed on tires; to provide for the maximum weight placed on axle mounted tires; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Transportation, Highways, and Public Works.

SENATE BILL NO. 519—

BY SENATOR ELLINGTON

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 48:274.1(A), relative to highways; to provide relative to logo signs on interstate highways and other certain highways; to authorize the department to contract with a qualified third party for the placement and maintenance of logo signs; to provide relative to the contract and accounting of revenues between the parties; to provide relative to fees for certain logo signs; to authorize the promulgation of rules and regulations; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Transportation, Highways, and Public Works.

SENATE BILL NO. 520—

BY SENATOR ELLINGTON

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 32:771(2)(b), (4), (12), and (13), and 773.2(A)(1), and to enact R.S. 32:773.1(C), 773.2(A)(3), (G), and (H), relative to marine product dealers; to provide for definitions; to provide for unlawful acts; to provide for marine dealer/manufacturer/distributor agreements; to provide for voluntary termination of a marine dealers business; to provide for procedures regarding disputes between marine dealers and marine manufacturers and distributors; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Transportation, Highways, and Public Works.

SENATE BILL NO. 521—
BY SENATOR HAINKEL

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 13:2586(C)(2) and 2587.1 and R.S. 30:2522(4), 2531, 2531.5(D), 2531.6(A)(2), 2535(E), and 2544(D) and R.S. 32:414(A)(3)(a) and (b) and to enact R.S. 30:2531.2, relative to littering; to provide for intentional and unintentional littering; to provide presumptions regarding litter activities; to provide penalties for violations; to provide for assessment and distribution of special court costs involving litter violations; to define littering; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Environmental Quality.

SENATE BILL NO. 522—
BY SENATOR MALONE

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 56:639.5(B)(1)(b) and 639.7(D)(1), relative to the Louisiana Artificial Reef Development Program and Plan; to provide relative to coordination and operational guidelines; to consider the impact of natural disasters on financial requirements applicable to donors; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Natural Resources.

SENATE BILL NO. 523—
BY SENATOR BAJOE

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 14:95.2.1, relative to offenses affecting public safety; to prohibit the carrying of firearms during a parade; to provide for definitions; to provide for penalties; to provide for exceptions; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Judiciary C.

SENATE BILL NO. 524—
BY SENATORS HEITMEIER AND HINES AND REPRESENTATIVES ALARIO AND SALTER

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 33:108, 131, 135, and 136, R.S. 38:90.4(B)(1) and (2), R.S. 39:21.3(A)(2)(b), (B)(2)(b), (C)(2)(b), (D)(2)(b), (E)(2)(b), and (F)(2)(b), and R.S. 56:1845(C), 1846(A), and 1849(B), all relative to the state planning office/division of administration; to provide with respect to the organization of the division of administration; to correct references to the state planning office; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Finance.

SENATE BILL NO. 525—
BY SENATOR CRAVINS

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 22:1379(3)(d), relative to definition; clarifies definition of covered claim as it applies to LIGA; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Insurance.

SENATE BILL NO. 526—
BY SENATOR HEITMEIER

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 2:8, relative to aeronautics; to delete the requirement for hot air balloons to take off from or land at an airport facility; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Transportation, Highways, and Public Works.

SENATE BILL NO. 527—
BY SENATOR JONES

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 15:572.1(A) and (E), relative to Board of Pardons; to provide that all actions of the board shall require the favorable vote of a majority of those board members present; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Judiciary B.

SENATE BILL NO. 528—
BY SENATOR HOLDEN

AN ACT

To enact Civil Code Art. 2323(D), relative to comparative fault; to provide relative to determination of fault of health care providers when raised as an affirmative defense by certain tortfeasors; to provide for legislative intent; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Judiciary A.

SENATE BILL NO. 529—
BY SENATOR IRONS

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 30:2531.3(B) and 2535(C), relative to environmental quality; to provide relative to cleanup efforts by commercial establishments and haulers; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Environmental Quality.

SENATE BILL NO. 530—
BY SENATOR IRONS

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:120.71(B), relative to donations for the Louisiana Animal Welfare Commission; to provide that donations be immediately remitted to the Louisiana Animal Welfare Fund; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Revenue and Fiscal Affairs.

SENATE BILL NO. 531—
BY SENATOR IRONS AND CRAVINS

AN ACT

To amend and reenact Code of Criminal Procedure Art. 900(A)(5) and R.S. 15:574.6 and to enact R.S. 15:574.7(C) and 574.9(B)(3) and (4), relative to probation and parole; to provide for revocation of probation and parole; to provide for service of suspended sentence; to limit such incarceration for certain violations; to provide for the creation of alternatives to revocation of probation and parole; to provide for promulgation of rules and regulations; to provide for good time for certain parolees; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Judiciary B.

SENATE BILL NO. 532—
BY SENATORS IRONS AND CRAVINS

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 15:1137, relative to community rehabilitation; to create a special fund in the treasury; to provide for deposit of monies into the fund; to provide for use of monies in the fund; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Finance.

SENATE BILL NO. 533—
BY SENATOR IRONS

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 17:416.16(A)(2), (B) and (C), and to enact R.S. 17:416.16(D) and (E), relative to school crisis management and response plans; to require schools to prepare such plan in accordance with Louisiana Department of Justice guidelines; to provide for a certification process; to provide for training; to provide for audit and reports; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Education.

SENATE BILL NO. 534—
BY SENATOR IRONS

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 17:17.1, relative to physical fitness in schools; to establish and implement a pilot program consisting of a baseline assessment of the physical fitness of students; to provide for legislative intent and to provide for program purposes; to provide for program guidelines, requirements and procedures; to provide for the application by city, parish, and other local public school boards to the State Board of Elementary and Secondary Education for program participation; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Education.

SENATE BILL NO. 535—
BY SENATOR IRONS

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 40:1300.52(D)(1)(a) and 1300.53(A)(1)(a), relative to certain care facilities; to provide relative to criminal history; to provide relative to the conviction of certain crimes; to provide relative to employment of nonlicensed persons in certain care facilities; to prohibit such employment for persons convicted of such crimes; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Judiciary C.

SENATE BILL NO. 536—
BY SENATOR IRONS

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 14:102.1(A)(1)(c) and (B)(1), relative to offenses affecting the public sensibility; to provide relative to cruelty to animals; to provide relative to the care of animals; to provide relative to the killing of animals; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Agriculture, Forestry, Aquaculture and Rural Development.

SENATE BILL NO. 537—
BY SENATOR IRONS

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 25:342(B)(3)(a), relative to the office of the state museum; to provide requirements for the administration, management, operation, maintenance and preservation of certain buildings; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Senate and Governmental Affairs.

SENATE BILL NO. 538—
BY SENATOR CAIN

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 22:228.1(B)(7), (8), (9), (10), (11), (12), and (C) and to enact R.S. 22:228.1(B)(13), relative to health insurance; to define health savings accounts and high deductible health plans; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Insurance.

SENATE BILL NO. 539—
BY SENATOR IRONS

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 46:460.21(A)(3), (4) and (5), (B)(1), the introductory paragraph of (C), (C)(1)(g), and (F), and to enact R.S. 46:460.21(A)(6), (C)(1)(h), and (C)(4), relative to Public Welfare and Assistance; to provide with respect to fees in child protection cases; to provide for an annual reserve for out-of-pocket expenses; to provide a time limit for the submission of payment request forms; to require specific attorney certifications; to provide authorization for suspension of payments not meeting necessary requirements; to require rule-making relative to recommendations of the Task Force on Legal Representation in Child Protection Cases; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Judiciary A.

SENATE BILL NO. 540—
BY SENATOR CAIN

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 22:691.2(A), relative to standard fire policy; to provide for coverage for peril of fire; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Insurance.

SENATE BILL NO. 541—
BY SENATOR CAIN

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 22:680 (1)(a)(i), relative to uninsured motorist coverage; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Insurance.

SENATE BILL NO. 542—
BY SENATOR ULLO AND REPRESENTATIVE CRANE

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 17:7.1 (A)(4)(a), relative to teacher certification; to provide that applicants for teacher certification complete a prescribed number of semester hours in the teaching of reading as established by the State Board of Elementary and Secondary Education; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Education.

SENATE BILL NO. 543—
BY SENATOR IRONS

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 22:230.5(C) and to enact R.S. 22:215.26, relative to health insurance; to require certain health insurance policies, contracts, and plans to provide coverage for prescription birth control drugs; to provide relative to copayments or coinsurances; to provide for exclusions; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Insurance.

SENATE BILL NO. 544—BY SENATORS HOLDEN AND JACKSON
AN ACT

To amend and reenact Code of Criminal Procedure Art. 905.5.1(C) and the introductory paragraph of Code of Criminal Procedure Art. 905.5.1(H)(2), and to repeal Code of Criminal Procedure Art. 905.5.1(E) and (G), relative to sentencing in capital cases; to provide relative to mental retardation; to provide that certain psychologists be included in the determination of the defendants' mental capacity; to provide that a defendant who claims to be mentally retarded does not waive certain rights; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Judiciary C.

SENATE BILL NO. 545—

BY SENATOR DUPLESSIS

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 33:4701(A) and 4702(B)(1), (2)(b), (f), (g), (h), and (i), and (4), and (C)(1), 4703(A), 4706(B), 4707(A)(1) and (4), 4708(A), (B)(2) and (4) and 4880, and to enact R.S. 33:4702(B)(2)(j) and (k), and to rename Part I of Chapter 12-A of Title 33 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, "New Orleans Regional Business Park," relative to the New Orleans Business and Industrial District; to change the name of the district; to provide for the composition of the board; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Local and Municipal Affairs.

SENATE BILL NO. 546—

BY SENATORS MOUNT, CRAVINS, JONES AND LENTINI AND REPRESENTATIVES MONTGOMERY, HUNTER AND MARTINY

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 15:1202(A)(introductory paragraph) and 1204.1(A) and (B)(11), R.S. 36:401(B)(1) and (2) and (C)(1), 402, 405(A)(1)(introductory paragraph) and (c) and (2), (B), and (C), 406(A), (B)(3), and (C), 407(B) and (C), and 408(G)(1) and (H), R.S. 39:21.3(D), and R.S. 46:2602(B)(3), and to enact R.S. 15:1202(A)(27), 1228.2(10) and 1228.3(14) and R.S. 36:405(D) and 406(B)(4), relative to the reorganization of the Department of Public Safety and Corrections; to create youth services as an organizational unit of the department; to provide for the composition and officers of youth services; to create the office of management and finance for youth services; to place the office of youth development within youth services; to provide for the powers, duties, functions, and responsibilities of department officers; to provide for office functions; to provide relative to membership and functions of related boards, commissions, and like entities; to provide for implementation; to provide for effective dates; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Judiciary B.

SENATE BILL NO. 547—

BY SENATOR ROMERO

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:32(A), relative to individual income tax; to provide for a reduction of such rates and brackets; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Revenue and Fiscal Affairs.

SENATE BILL NO. 548—

BY SENATOR MALONE

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 32:190(A), relative to safety regulations; to require persons who operate or ride on a motorcycle, motor driven cycle, or motorized bicycle to wear a safety helmet; to repeal provisions regarding health insurance coverage for

persons not wearing a safety helmet; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Transportation, Highways, and Public Works.

SENATE BILL NO. 549—

BY SENATOR IRONS

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 22:215.26, relative to health insurance; to provide for coverage for the treatment of certain medically necessary substance related disorders; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Insurance.

SENATE BILL NO. 550—

BY SENATOR IRONS

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 3:2364(B)(1), (2), and (3) and to enact R.S. 3:2364(D)(6), (7), and (8), relative to the Louisiana Animal Welfare Commission; to provide for the funding, membership, and duties of the commission; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Agriculture, Forestry, Aquaculture and Rural Development.

SENATE BILL NO. 551—

BY SENATOR DUPLESSIS

AN ACT

To enact Chapter 7 of Title 6 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 6:551 through 569, and to repeal Chapter 7 of Title 6 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, comprised of R.S. 6:550 through 567, relative to foreign banks; to authorize the creation of international development banks in certain parishes within this state; to provide for functions and powers of such banks; to provide for certain prohibited activities; to provide for certain additional powers and functions of foreign banks in Louisiana; to allow foreign banks to receive certain deposits; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Commerce, Consumer Protection and International Affairs.

SENATE BILL NO. 552—

BY SENATOR HOLLIS

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 9:3515(A)(1)(a) and (F), 3516(14), (19), and (26), 3519(E), 3520(A), 3527(A) and (C)(2), 3530(B), 3550(B)(2), the introductory paragraph of 3559.1(A), 3560(A)(10) and 3561.1(A) and to repeal R.S. 9:3517(C), relative to the Louisiana Consumer Credit Law; to provide relative to the sale of goods at locations where consumer loans are made; to provide relative to definitions; to provide relative to prepaid finance charges; to provide relative to additional fees and charges for an extender of credit; to provide relative to the maximum credit service charge; to provide relative to delinquency charges; to provide relative to notary fees; to provide relative to a licensed lender; to provide relative to licensing for consumer loans; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Commerce, Consumer Protection and International Affairs.

SENATE BILL NO. 553—

BY SENATOR DUPRE

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 22:1430.18, relative to property insurance; to provide certain requirements for coverage and issuance of property insurance by the Louisiana Citizens Property Insurance Corporation; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Insurance.

SENATE BILL NO. 554—

BY SENATOR DUPRE

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 32:365(A)(1), relative to motor vehicles; to provide relative to traffic safety; to prohibit driving a motor vehicle equipped with certain display screens used with audio equipment capable of driver distractions; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Transportation, Highways, and Public Works.

SENATE BILL NO. 555—

BY SENATOR DUPRE

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 32:361.2, relative to motor vehicle safety; to provide for medical exemptions to restrictions on tint on motor vehicle windows; to provide for the review of such exemptions; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Transportation, Highways, and Public Works.

SENATE BILL NO. 556—

BY SENATOR DUPRE

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 32:672 through 674, relative to the Department of Public Safety and Corrections; to require the Department of Public Safety and Corrections, office of motor vehicles, to establish and maintain the impaired driver tracking system; to provide for legislative intent; to require certain agencies to provide information regarding the arrest, prosecution, conviction, and disposition of persons arrested for certain driving offenses; to provide for the exchange of that information between agencies; to direct the Louisiana State Law Institute to redesignate certain provisions of current law; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Transportation, Highways, and Public Works.

SENATE BILL NO. 557—

BY SENATOR LENTINI

AN ACT

To enact Civil Code Art. 2323(D), relative to comparative fault; to provide relative to determination of fault of health care providers when raised as an affirmative defense by certain tortfeasors; to provide for legislative intent; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Judiciary A.

SENATE BILL NO. 558—

BY SENATOR DUPRE

AN ACT

To authorize the Lafourche Parish governing authority to acquire certain property in Lafourche Parish by certain means; to provide for use of certain monies available to the parish; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Transportation, Highways, and Public Works.

SENATE BILL NO. 559—

BY SENATORS ELLINGTON AND SMITH

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 36:802.6 and R.S. 44:4.1(B)(1), and to enact Part XVI of Chapter 5 of Title 3 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 3:559.1 through 559.13, and R.S. 36:629(Q), relative to aquacultural development; to create the Louisiana Aquaculture Coordinating Council; to provide for the membership, organization, powers, and duties of the Louisiana Aquaculture Coordinating Council; to provide for the powers of the commissioner of the Department of Agriculture and Forestry; to require certain aquatic producers to obtain a license; to provide for the cost and issuance of such license; to establish criteria for inspecting licensed facilities; to provide for the deposit and disbursement of fees and penalties; to enumerate violations; to provide for investigations of facilities; to provide civil penalties for violations; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Agriculture, Forestry, Aquaculture and Rural Development.

SENATE BILL NO. 560—

BY SENATOR FONTENOT

AN ACT

To amend and reenact the introductory paragraph of R.S. 30:2194(B), (4), (9), and (11) through (15) and the introductory paragraph of (C), 2195(A) and (E), the introductory paragraph of 2195.2(A)(1), (a), and (c)(i), (2), (3), (4), and (5), 2195.3(A)(1)(b) and (7), 2195.4(A)(1), (2), and (3)(c)(ii) and (B)(1), 2195.6, 2195.7, the introductory paragraph of 2195.8(B) and 1 and (C), 2195.9(A), and 2195.10, to enact R.S. 30:2195.8(D), (E), and (F) and 2195.11, and to repeal R.S. 30:2194(B)(16), relative to underground storage tanks; to provide for uses of money in the Motor Fuels Underground Storage Tank Trust Fund, especially relative to those who are eligible for disbursements from the fund; to provide relative to penalties for failure to pay fees that are paid into the trust fund; to provide relative to financial obligations of tank owners for environmental damage resulting from releases; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Environmental Quality.

SENATE BILL NO. 561—

BY SENATOR FONTENOT

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 18:424(E) and 18:425(E), and to enact R.S. 18:425.2, relative to the authority of parish boards of election supervisors to provide for two commissioners to work half of an election day; to authorize any parish board of election supervisors in the event of a shortage of commissioners to create two equal work shifts for commissioners; to authorize such parish board of election supervisors to select commissioners to serve one or two shifts on an election day; to provide for the compensation of such commissioners; to require the State Board of Election Supervisors to prescribe uniform rules for the selection, scheduling, and procedures for creating two equal shifts for commissioners on election day; to provide for the compensation of such commissioners; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Senate and Governmental Affairs.

SENATE BILL NO. 562—
BY SENATOR FONTENOT**AN ACT**

To enact R.S. 30:2075.4, relative to installers and maintenance providers of onsite treatment systems; to require a bi-annual license; to provide qualifications and requirements for such licenses; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Environmental Quality.

SENATE BILL NO. 563—
BY SENATOR THEUNISSEN**AN ACT**

To amend and reenact R.S. 17:3048.1(A)(1)(e)(vi), and (B)(2)(b)(vi) and (c)(vi), relative to the Tuition Opportunity Program for Students; to include certain agriscience courses as a science option in the core curriculum; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Education.

SENATE BILL NO. 564—
BY SENATOR DARDENNE**AN ACT**

To amend and reenact R.S. 9:315.5, 315.18(C), and 374(C), relative to child support; to provide for discretion in awarding a dependency exemption; to provide for the pro rata sharing of uncovered medical expenses in a shared custody arrangement; to provide relative to rental or mortgage note reimbursement when sole use of the home is made; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Judiciary A.

SENATE BILL NO. 565—
BY SENATOR DARDENNE**AN ACT**

To enact R.S. 32:672, relative to responsibilities of the Department of Public Safety; to provide for tracking offenses involving driving while intoxicated; to provide for an integrated criminal justice information system to track all driving while intoxicated offenses; to provide for an impaired driver tracking system; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Judiciary C.

SENATE BILL NO. 566—
BY SENATOR HAINKEL**AN ACT**

To enact Subpart B-20 of Part IV of Chapter 1 of Title 33 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 33:130.441 through 449, relative to the New Orleans Riverfront Development District; to create the district; to provide for the powers, duties, functions, and responsibilities of the district and its board of commissioners; to provide for a governing board of commissioners and for membership; to provide relative to the power of taxation and the issuance of bonds; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Local and Municipal Affairs.

SENATE BILL NO. 567—
BY SENATOR HAINKEL**AN ACT**

To amend and reenact R.S. 9:4821(1) and R.S. 13:2575(B)(2)(f), (C), and (F) and 2576, and to enact R.S. 13:4367, relative to the administrative adjudication of public health, housing, and environmental violations; to provide for applicability of certain provisions to municipalities with a population greater than four hundred fifty thousand; to provide relative to administrative

hearings; to provide for waiver of collection or enforcement of liens; to provide for release given to subsequent purchasers; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Judiciary A.

SENATE BILL NO. 568—
BY SENATOR HAINKEL**AN ACT**

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:2110(A)(2)(i), relative to the ad valorem tax; to provide for the timely payment of taxes paid under protest; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Revenue and Fiscal Affairs.

SENATE BILL NO. 569—
BY SENATOR CHAISSON**AN ACT**

To enact Code of Criminal Procedure Art. 775.1, relative to mistrials; to provide for an automatic twenty-four hour stay of proceedings following declaration of a mistrial; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Judiciary C.

SENATE BILL NO. 570—
BY SENATOR CHAISSON**AN ACT**

To amend and reenact Code of Evidence Article 801(D)(1)(a), relative to evidence; to provide when prior inconsistent statements are not hearsay; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Judiciary A.

SENATE BILL NO. 571—
BY SENATOR JACKSON**AN ACT**

To amend and reenact R.S. 40:2532, relative to law enforcement; to provide for an exception to the release of personal information; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Senate and Governmental Affairs.

SENATE BILL NO. 572—
BY SENATOR BAJOE**AN ACT**

To enact Chapter 7 of Title 6 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 6:551 through 569, and to repeal Chapter 7 of Title 6 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, comprised of R.S. 6:550 through 567, relative to foreign banks; to authorize the creation of international development banks in certain parishes within this state; to provide for functions and powers of such banks; to provide for certain prohibited activities; to provide for certain additional powers and functions of foreign banks in Louisiana; to allow foreign banks to receive certain deposits; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Commerce, Consumer Protection and International Affairs.

SENATE BILL NO. 573—
BY SENATORS HEITMEIER AND HINES AND REPRESENTATIVES
ALARIO AND SALTER**AN ACT**

To amend and reenact the introductory paragraph of R.S. 11:102(B)(3) and to enact R.S. 11:102(B)(3)(e) and Chapter 22 of Title 39 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 39:2201 through 2209, relative to the

issuance of bonds; to authorize the issuance of pension obligation bonds to provide for the funding of all or part of the unfunded accrued liability of state retirement systems; to authorize cooperative endeavor agreements among entities; to provide for the security for and payment of such bonds; to provide for deposit of state funds; to provide for the use of proceeds of such bonds by the retirement systems; to authorize the creation of necessary dedicated funds and accounts; to provide for the payment of employer contributions; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Revenue and Fiscal Affairs.

SENATE BILL NO. 574—

BY SENATOR SMITH

AN ACT

To amend and reenact Chapter 1 of Title V of Book I of the Civil Code, formerly comprising Civil Code Arts. 102 through 105, to comprise Arts. 102 through 108, Civil Code Art. 111, Code of Civil Procedure Arts. 10(A)(7) and (B), 969, 1701(B), 1702(E), 3941, 3942, and 3944, R.S. 9:291 and 373(A), R.S. 13:1401(A)(1), the introductory paragraph of R.S. 46:2135(A), and (B), and to repeal Chapter 2 of Title IV of Book VII of the Code of Civil Procedure comprising Code of Civil Procedure Arts. 3951 through 3958, R.S. 9:302 through 309 and R.S. 13:3491, all relative to termination of marriage and divorce and certain incidental effects thereof; to provide for the cause of action for separation from bed and board and divorce based on fault; to provide procedures for obtaining judgments pursuant to these provisions; to require marital counseling prior to obtaining a judgement of divorce; to repeal certain duplicate provisions relative to divorce in a covenant marriage; to provide for hearings for certain protective orders; to eliminate provisions authorizing hearings in chambers in divorce proceedings; to provide an effective date and transitional provisions; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Judiciary A.

SENATE BILL NO. 575—

BY SENATOR CHAISSON

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 37:1262(1) and to enact R.S. 37:1302, relative to the practice of medicine; to exclude from the definition of "the practice of medicine" a physician's delegation of duties related to administering anesthesia to an anesthesiologist assistant or anesthesia assistant; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Health and Welfare.

SENATE BILL NO. 576—

BY SENATOR MARIONNEAUX

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 33:2561.1, relative to municipal and parish fire and police civil service; to provide for awarding attorney fees in civil service board appeals by municipal fire and police classified civil service employees regarding disciplinary actions in certain circumstances; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Local and Municipal Affairs.

SENATE BILL NO. 577—

BY SENATOR MCPHERSON

AN ACT

To amend and reenact the introductory paragraph of R.S. 42:1102(22)(a), relative to the Code of Governmental Ethics; to revise the definition of thing of economic value; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Senate and Governmental Affairs.

SENATE BILL NO. 578—

BY SENATOR MALONE

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 40:2402(1)(b), relative to law enforcement; to provide relative to the Peace Officer Standards and Training Program; to define "peace officer" to include certain juvenile correctional officers; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Judiciary B.

SENATE BILL NO. 579—

BY SENATOR JONES

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 44:22, relative to public records; to exempt certain records pertaining to negotiations relative to economic development activities from the laws relative to public records until negotiations are concluded; to provide for certain determinations by a custodian; to exempt certain trade secrets or proprietary, commercial, or financial information from the laws relative to public records; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Senate and Governmental Affairs.

SENATE BILL NO. 580—

BY SENATOR JONES

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 18:1505.2(A), relative to the Campaign Finance Disclosure Act; to provide for penalties for violations of provisions of the Campaign Finance Disclosure Act that prohibit contributions in the name of another; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Senate and Governmental Affairs.

SENATE BILL NO. 581—

BY SENATOR SCHEDLER

AN ACT

To enact Civil Code Art. 2713(C), relative to obligations of the lessee; to provide relative to eviction; to provide relative to failure to comply with a notice of eviction; to require lessee to pay court costs in such instances; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Judiciary A.

SENATE BILL NO. 582—

BY SENATOR JONES

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 18:59.2(A)(1), (2) and (C), 171(A) and (D), 196(C)(3), 424(E), 425(E), 427(A), 431(A)(5) and (B)(5), 435(C), 463(A)(1)(a) and (c), 466(A), 513(C), 532(B)(4)(a)(iii) and (c), 532.1(B)(2)(a), (C)(3)(a) and (b) and (D), 566(B)(1), 574(A)(2) and (3), 581(1), 602(G), 1307(A)(2), (B)(1) and (2), (C) and (E), 1354(C), 1400.1(A) and (B)(2) and (C)(1), 1400.2(A), (B)(2) and (C)(1), 1400.3(A), (B)(2) and (C)(1), 1400.4(A), (B)(2) and (C)(1), 1405(A), (B), (C), (D), (E), (F) and (G) and 1903(A), and to enact R.S. 18:426(A)(4), 427(A)(2), 463(E), 466(B), 513(D), 1309(E)(6) and 1432.1, relative to the Election Code; to provide for the time of compensation of commissioners; to provide for alternate commissioners; to provide for candidacy information; to provide for uniform qualifying time; to provide for certification of candidates; to provide for changing precincts; to provide for compilation of ballots; to address certain conflicts between home rule charters of a governing authority and the election

code; to provide for absentee voting by mail; to provide for absentee voting in person; to provide for election costs paid by secretary of state; to provide a uniform time for commencement of action; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Senate and Governmental Affairs.

SENATE BILL NO. 583—

BY SENATOR MARIONNEAUX

AN ACT

To amend and reenact Title 13 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, relative to clerks of court; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Judiciary A.

SENATE BILL NO. 584—

BY SENATOR IRONS

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 9:315.8(E)(3)(a), relative to child support; to provide relative to joint custody; to provide for consideration of the continuing expenses of the domiciliary party; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Judiciary A.

SENATE BILL NO. 585—

BY SENATOR IRONS

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 9:315.18(B)(1)(introductory paragraph) and (C) and to repeal R.S. 9:315.18(D), relative to child support; to provide for eligibility to claim federal and state tax dependency deductions; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and returned to the Calendar, subject to call.

SENATE BILL NO. 586—

BY SENATOR DARDENNE

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 32:1254(N)(3)(f)(i) and (iv) and to enact R.S. 32:1253.1 and 1254.2, relative to motor vehicles; to authorize the Motor Vehicle Commission to render advisory opinions relative to the distribution and sale of motor vehicles; to provide a procedure for applying to the commission for an advisory opinion and for declaratory orders; to provide relative to sales conditioned on financing; to provide certain requirements for suppliers of mechanical repairs and services for motor vehicles; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Transportation, Highways, and Public Works.

SENATE BILL NO. 587—

BY SENATOR CRAVINS

AN ACT

To amend and reenact Title 23 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, relative to labor and workers' compensation; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Labor and Industrial Relations.

SENATE BILL NO. 588—

BY SENATOR DARDENNE

AN ACT

To enact Part VII of Chapter 8 of Title 42 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 42:450.10 through 450.13, relative to voluntary leave of absences for certain public employees who serve as an election commissioner on election

day; to provide for definitions; to provide for paid leave of absence; to provide for limitations; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Senate and Governmental Affairs.

SENATE BILL NO. 589—

BY SENATOR MALONE

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 32:861(B)(2)(a), (C)(1)(a) and (b) and 900(B)(2)(c), relative to motor vehicle insurance; to provide for compulsory motor vehicle liability insurance limits; to provide for security and proof of financial responsibility; to increase the amount of insurance or security required; to increase the amount of deposit required in lieu of liability bond or policy; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Insurance.

SENATE BILL NO. 590—

BY SENATOR CRAVINS

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 9:3578.4 and 3578.6(7) and to enact R.S. 9:3578.6(8), relative to the Louisiana Deferred Presentment and Small Loan Act; to provide for an increase in the maximum fee that may be charged on a deferred presentment transaction or small loan; to provide for other fees that may be charged by the licensee; to provide for prohibited acts by the licensee; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Commerce, Consumer Protection and International Affairs.

SENATE BILL NO. 591—

BY SENATOR CHEEK

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 22:11.1, relative to health insurance; to provide for a credentialing process for health insurance issuers who contract directly with health care providers for health care services; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Insurance.

SENATE BILL NO. 592—

BY SENATOR CHAISSON

AN ACT

To amend and reenact Code of Evidence Article 412.2(A), relative to evidence; to provide for the introduction of certain crimes, wrongs, and acts in sex offense cases; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Judiciary C.

SENATE BILL NO. 593—

BY SENATOR B. GAUTREAUX

AN ACT

To enact Subpart A-1 of Part X of Chapter 26 of Title 17 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, comprised of R.S. 17:3397.1 through 3397.6, relative to economic development; to authorize and provide for the establishment, management, operation, functions, and activities of regional research and development parks; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Commerce, Consumer Protection and International Affairs.

SENATE BILL NO. 594—

BY SENATOR BAJOE

AN ACT

To enact Part IX of Chapter 4 of Title 15 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 15:571.61, relative to post-release facilities; to provide for a pilot program in the Department of Public Safety and Corrections; to provide for the duties of the department; to provide for reports; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Judiciary B.

SENATE BILL NO. 595—

BY SENATOR CHEEK

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 22:676, relative to health insurance; to provide for the inclusion or attachment of a complete schedule of payments or reimbursements in contracts between health insurance issuers and health care providers; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Insurance.

SENATE BILL NO. 596—

BY SENATOR NEVERS

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 38:1794(H), relative to the compensation of members of the boards of commissioners of certain consolidated gravity drainage districts; to provide for an increase in the maximum per diem of such members; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Local and Municipal Affairs.

SENATE BILL NO. 597—

BY SENATOR BAJOE

AN ACT

To enact Code of Criminal Procedure Art. 598, relative to civil courts; to provide relative to class action cases; to require excess funds in such cases be transferred to juvenile and criminal courts; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Finance.

SENATE BILL NO. 598—

BY SENATOR HEITMEIER

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 29:733.2, relative to emergency preparedness; to give civil immunity to volunteers providing transportation during emergencies and disasters; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Judiciary A.

SENATE BILL NO. 599—

BY SENATOR JACKSON

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 37:3553(B) and 3556(A)(1), relative to massage therapist; to provide additional exemptions from licensure; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Health and Welfare.

SENATE BILL NO. 600—

BY SENATORS SMITH AND MICHOT

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 9:315.9, relative to child custody; to provide for the definition of "shared custody;" to require that such custody shall be presumed to be in the best interest of the child; to require parents to develop a plan for such custody to provide for a rebuttable presumption of such custody; to require

notification of such presumption; to repeal the formula for child support in such custody; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Judiciary A.

SENATE BILL NO. 601—

BY SENATOR CRAVINS

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 34:851.20 (A) and (F) and 851.31(A)(1), and to enact R.S. 34:851.37, relative to liability insurance coverage for motorboats; to provide for security in order to receive or maintain a motorboat registration number from the Department of Wildlife and Fisheries; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Insurance.

SENATE BILL NO. 602—

BY SENATOR FONTENOT

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 33:2218.8(H), relative to civil deputies and state supplemental pay; to provide extra compensation for full time deputy sheriff's in a parish with a population of not less than four hundred thousand persons and not more than four hundred forty thousand persons according to the most recent federal decennial census; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Finance.

SENATE BILL NO. 603—

BY SENATOR MCPHERSON

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 46:2136.2(F), relative to Domestic Abuse Assistance, to provide for the Louisiana Protective Order Registry; to provide for release of information from the Protective Order Registry to the Department of Health and Hospitals, bureau of protective services, and the Governor's Office of Elderly Affairs, elderly protective services; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Judiciary A.

SENATE BILL NO. 604—

BY SENATOR SCHEDLER

AN ACT

To amend R.S. 47:1967(F), relative to ad valorem property tax; to provide for an increased deduction from the valuation of such stock for tax purposes; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and returned to the Calendar, subject to call.

SENATE BILL NO. 605—

BY SENATOR MCPHERSON

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 32:408(B)(1) and (2), relative to driver's licenses; to provide for the permitted operation of certain vehicles; to provide for weight limitations; to provide for exceptions; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Transportation, Highways, and Public Works.

SENATE BILL NO. 606—
BY SENATOR JONES

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 24:56 and 56.1 and to enact R.S. 18:1505.2(Q), relative to campaign contributions for legislators; to prohibit a legislator from accepting certain campaign contributions during certain legislative sessions; to prohibit a legislator from soliciting certain campaign contributions during certain legislative sessions; to provide for penalties and enforcement; to provide exceptions; to prohibit the offer or providing of certain campaign contributions to a legislator during certain sessions; to provide relative to notice of certain fundraising functions; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Senate and Governmental Affairs.

SENATE BILL NO. 607—
BY SENATOR CHAISSON

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 37:930(G), relative to health care providers; to provide with respect to the authority to administer anesthetic to persons; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Health and Welfare.

SENATE BILL NO. 608—
BY SENATOR MOUNT

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:1832(A), relative to the Louisiana Tax Commission; to provide for additional members; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Senate and Governmental Affairs.

SENATE BILL NO. 609—
BY SENATOR BAJOIE

AN ACT

To amend and reenact Ch.C. Art. 610(B)(8) and (D) and to enact Ch.C. Art. 610(B)(9), relative to child abuse reporting; to require that additional information be included in child abuse reports; to require the Department of Social Services to provide an optional written form for mandatory reporting; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Judiciary A.

SENATE BILL NO. 610—
BY SENATOR MICHOT

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 47:287.86(J), relative to net operating loss; to authorize the sale of certain net operating losses under certain conditions; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and returned to the Calendar, subject to call.

SENATE BILL NO. 611—
BY SENATOR JACKSON

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 44:3(I) and (J), relative to public records; to provide for open records of law enforcement in certain cases; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Senate and Governmental Affairs.

SENATE BILL NO. 612—
BY SENATOR HAINKEL

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 32:365(B) and to enact R.S. 32:41(E) and R.S. 33:4881, relative to traffic violations; to authorize certain municipalities to use traffic control photographic systems for enforcement of certain traffic regulations and to adopt ordinances relative to such use; to provide for penalties for such violations; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Transportation, Highways, and Public Works.

SENATE BILL NO. 613—
BY SENATOR JONES

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 18:1505.2(Q), relative to campaign finance; to prohibit certain persons from accepting certain campaign contributions during certain legislative sessions; to prohibit the governor from accepting certain campaign contributions during certain legislative sessions and for a certain time period thereafter; to provide for penalties and enforcement; to provide exceptions; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Senate and Governmental Affairs.

SENATE BILL NO. 614—
BY SENATOR THEUNISSEN

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 17:3351(A)(5)(b)(iii); to provide relative to tuition and mandatory attendance fee amounts established by the Board of Supervisors of Community and Technical Colleges and applicable to students enrolled in technical community colleges under the board's supervision and management; to provide limitations; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Education.

SENATE BILL NO. 615—
BY SENATOR DARDENNE

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 18:1491.9, relative to campaign finance; to provide relative to candidates and their committees; to prohibit candidates from creating political committees which make campaign contributions to other elected officials or candidates; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Senate and Governmental Affairs.

SENATE BILL NO. 616—
BY SENATOR CHAISSON

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 27:306(A)(7)(b) and (c), relative to the Video Draw Poker Devices Control Law; to provide for qualified truck stop facilities; to provide for calculation of monthly fuel sales average for device number determinations at truck stops; to provide for exceptions; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Judiciary B.

SENATE BILL NO. 617—
BY SENATOR ULLO

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 17:3129.7, relative to the Board of the Regents; to require the development and maintenance of a state student financial aid plan; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Education.

SENATE BILL NO. 618—

BY SENATORS BARHAM AND MARIONNEAUX
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:712(1), relative to gasoline taxes; to provide that dyed diesel fuel be defined as a motor fuel; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Revenue and Fiscal Affairs.

SENATE BILL NO. 619—

BY SENATOR BOISSIERE

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 33:4071(A), relative to the Sewerage and Water Board of New Orleans; to provide for board membership and terms of office; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Local and Municipal Affairs.

SENATE BILL NO. 620—

BY SENATORS CAIN AND MICHOT

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:293(7), and to enact R.S. 47:293(2) and (6)(a)(i) and 294.1, relative to a reduction in income taxes; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and returned to the Calendar, subject to call.

SENATE BILL NO. 621—

BY SENATOR CRAVINS

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 15:1202(A)(introductory paragraph), 1204.1(A) and (B)(11), R.S. 36:4(A) and 401(B)(2) and (4) and (C)(1), and 405(A)(1)(c), R.S. 39:21.3(D)(1) and (3), and R.S. 46:2602(B)(3); to enact R.S. 11:601.1 and 711, R.S. 15:1202(A)(27), 1228.2(10), and 1228.3(14), and Chapter 4 of Title 36 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 36:151 through 159, and R.S. 39:21.3(D)(2)(f); to repeal R.S. 36:408(H); and to amend certain provisions if and as amended and reenacted by the Act which originated as Senate Bill No. ____ of this 2004 Regular Session of the Legislature, to provide relative to children, youth, and families services; to create and provide for the Department of Children, Youth and Families; to provide for the structure, organization, and functions of the department and its offices; to provide for the powers, duties, functions, and responsibilities of department officers; to provide relative to membership and functions of related boards, commissions, and like entities; to provide for the transfer of agencies into the department and the powers, duties, function, and responsibilities thereof and of the department officers relative thereto; to provide for implementation; to provide for effective dates; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Senate and Governmental Affairs.

SENATE BILL NO. 622—

BY SENATOR BOISSIERE

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 11:102(A) and (B)(3)(d), and 542(A), (B), (C)(1)(introductory paragraph), and (D), relative to state retirement systems; to provide relative to payment of unfunded accrued liabilities of the Louisiana State Employees' Retirement System; to provide for amortization of unfunded accrued liabilities over a forty-year period or in accordance with standards promulgated by the Governmental Accounting Standards Board from the time of occurrence; to include

negative employee experience account balances in the unfunded accrued liability; to provide for experience account credits; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Retirement.

SENATE BILL NO. 623—

BY SENATOR BOISSIERE

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 11:102(A) and (B)(3)(d), and 883.1(A), (B), (C)(1)(introductory paragraph), and (D), relative to state retirement systems; to provide relative to payment of unfunded accrued liabilities of the Teachers' Retirement System of Louisiana; to provide for amortization of unfunded accrued liabilities over a thirty-year period or in accordance with standards promulgated by the Governmental Accounting Standards Board from the time of occurrence; to include negative employee experience account balances in the unfunded accrued liability; to provide for experience account credits; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Retirement.

SENATE BILL NO. 624—

BY SENATOR MICHOT

AN ACT

To repeal R.S. 11:710, relative to Teachers Retirement System of Louisiana; to provide with respect to employment of retirees; to repeal the provisions requiring a twelve-month waiting period for employment of retirees without a suspension of benefits; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Retirement.

SENATE BILL NO. 625—

BY SENATOR CAIN (By Request)

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 11:411(10), relative to the Louisiana State Employees' Retirement System, to provide with respect to eligibility for membership in the Louisiana State Employees' Retirement System for employees of certain housing authorities to authorize the purchase of prior service credit; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Retirement.

SENATE BILL NO. 626—

BY SENATOR SCHEDLER

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 11:1386, relative to the judges' noncontributory plan; to provide with respect to cost-of-living adjustments for judges and widows of such judges who did not opt to become members of the Louisiana State Employees' Retirement System; to provide the procedures for determining the amount of such adjustments; to provide an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Retirement.

SENATE BILL NO. 627—

BY SENATOR MALONE

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 47:1584, relative to collection of taxes; to provide for an innocent spouse rule for the collection of taxes and related amounts; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Revenue and Fiscal Affairs.

SENATE BILL NO. 628—
BY SENATOR BAJOIE

AN ACT

To amend and reenact Ch.C. Art. 611(A), relative to child abuse reporting and investigation; to limit liability against persons who report child abuse under certain circumstances; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Judiciary A.

SENATE BILL NO. 629—
BY SENATOR ULLO

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 43:111(C) and (D)(1), relative to prohibitions on and authorizations for expending public funds for advertising by public agencies; to authorize the Board of Regents to expend such funds to advertise to promote Master Plan goals; to authorize postsecondary learning centers to expend a specific budgetary portion on advertising; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Education.

SENATE BILL NO. 630—
BY SENATOR BOISSIERE

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 36:702(2), relative to powers and duties of attorney general; to provide that the attorney general has the authority to commission investigative personnel as peace officers; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Judiciary C.

SENATE BILL NO. 631—
BY SENATOR JONES

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 23:1127(C)(1) and (3) and (D) and to enact R.S. 23:1021(14), relative to medical case managers; to provide for clarification of the availability of medical records for medical case managers; to provide a definition of medical case managers; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Health and Welfare.

SENATE BILL NO. 632—
BY SENATOR HOLLIS

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 6:103(I) and R.S. 9:3518.1(E) and to enact R.S. 6:103(J), relative to the Office of Financial Institutions; to provide for governmental immunity of the office and its agents and employees under certain circumstances; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Commerce, Consumer Protection and International Affairs.

SENATE BILL NO. 633—
BY SENATOR KOSTELKA

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 14:75, relative to nonpayment of child support obligations; to enact the Deadbeat Parents Punishment Act of Louisiana; to create the crime of failure to pay legal child support obligation; to provide for presumptions; to provide for penalties; to provide for restitution; to provide for venue; to provide for definitions; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Judiciary C.

SENATE BILL NO. 634—
BY SENATOR SCHEDLER

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 9:4802(A)(3), relative to privileges on immovables; to provide relative to claims against the owner and contractor for improvement of an immovable; to provide that a seller shall have such claim for movables only on those movables sold directly to the contractor; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Judiciary A.

SENATE BILL NO. 635—
BY SENATOR BARHAM

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 35:18, relative to notaries public; to provide for a one-year period of prescription for filing of malpractice actions against notaries; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Judiciary A.

SENATE BILL NO. 636—
BY SENATOR MCPHERSON

AN ACT

To repeal R.S. 42:1123(19), relative to the Code of Governmental Ethics, to repeal the exception to allow commission members from obtaining oyster leases while serving on the Louisiana Wildlife and Fisheries Commission; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Senate and Governmental Affairs.

SENATE BILL NO. 637—
BY SENATOR MCPHERSON

AN ACT

To repeal R.S. 42:1123(13), relative to public officers and employees; to repeal provisions authorizing an elected official to receive certain gifts; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Senate and Governmental Affairs.

SENATE BILL NO. 638—
BY SENATOR BAJOIE

AN ACT

To amend and reenact Children's Code Art. 610(A) and (E), relative to child abuse mandatory reporting procedure; to permit reporting to both the local child protection unit and the local or state law enforcement agency; to provide relative to cases which are reported in error; to require that such cases be reported to the appropriate agency; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Judiciary A.

SENATE BILL NO. 639—
BY SENATOR HOLLIS

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 9:3514(C), relative to consumer credit; to require lenders to perfect security interest in motor vehicles with the Department of Public Safety and Corrections; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Commerce, Consumer Protection and International Affairs.

SENATE BILL NO. 640—

BY SENATORS MOUNT, CRAVINS, JONES AND LENTINI AND
REPRESENTATIVES MONTGOMERY, HUNTER AND MARTINY
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 46:1941.1, 1941.2, 1941.5, and 1941.8, and to repeal R.S. 46:1941.3, 1941.4, 1941.7, 1941.9 through 1941.13, relative to youth services; to provide for the creation of youth services planning boards; to provide for the purpose of such boards; to provide with respect to membership; to repeal provisions of law providing for parish youth services programs; to repeal provisions providing for parish youth services subsidy program; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Judiciary B.

SENATE BILL NO. 641—

BY SENATOR MALONE

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 17:1682(H) and 1682.2, relative to scholarships for disabled firefighters and their spouses; to provide for definitions; to provide for scholarship requirements; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Education.

SENATE BILL NO. 642—

BY SENATOR JONES

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 42:1132(D), 1134(N), and 1157(A)(1) and (3), and to enact Part IV of Chapter 1 of Title 49 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 49:71 through 78, relative to the regulation of lobbying; to provide for the regulation of lobbying in state government; to provide for lobbying of the executive branch; to provide for definitions; to provide for registration, reporting, and disclosure; to provide for administration and enforcement; to provide for penalties; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Senate and Governmental Affairs.

SENATE BILL NO. 643—

BY SENATOR HOLDEN

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 42:1119(B)(2)(c), relative to the Code of Governmental Ethics; to provide with respect to nepotism; to authorize the employment of immediate family members of a superintendent or fire chief as a professional firefighter; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Senate and Governmental Affairs.

SENATE BILL NO. 644—

BY SENATOR CHAISSON

AN ACT

To repeal R.S. 37:930(A)(3), relative to the practice of nursing; to repeal the requirement that a registered professional nurse be directly supervised by a physician or dentist when administering anesthetics; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Health and Welfare.

SENATE BILL NO. 645—

BY SENATOR HINES

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 40:961(7), (8), (9), (10), (13), (14), (15), (20), (21), (24), (27), (32), (34), and (38), to enact R.S. 40:961(39), (40) and (41), and to rename Part X of Chapter 4 of Title 40 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, relative to uniform controlled substances law; to provide for changes in

definitions to conform with federal law; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Health and Welfare.

SENATE BILL NO. 646—

BY SENATOR CRAVINS

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 14:202.1, relative to offenses against property; to prohibit contractors or subcontractors from hiring undocumented illegal aliens; to provide for penalties; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Judiciary C.

SENATE BILL NO. 647—

BY SENATOR DARDENNE

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 40:964(Schedule IV)(36), relative to classification of controlled dangerous substances; to add carisoprodol as a Schedule IV controlled dangerous substance; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Health and Welfare.

SENATE BILL NO. 648—

BY SENATOR DUPRE

AN ACT

To enact Part II of Chapter 31 of Title 46 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 46:2321, relative to Indian tribes; to provide relative to educational assistance; to provide for cooperative agreements between the state and the tribes for educational purposes; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Education.

SENATE BILL NO. 649—

BY SENATOR BOISSIERE

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 40:2200.1, relative to hospital patient safety reporting and disclosure; to provide for definitions; to provide for maintenance of statistics regarding certain patient information; to provide for the information to be maintained at the hospital and reported annually to the department; to provide for public access to this information through the hospital; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Health and Welfare.

SENATE BILL NO. 650—

BY SENATOR JONES

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 18:1505.2(Q), relative to campaign finance; to prohibit the governor, legislators, and statewide elected officials from accepting certain campaign contributions during certain legislative sessions; to prohibit the governor, legislators and statewide elected officials from soliciting certain campaign contributions during certain legislative sessions; to provide for penalties and enforcement; to provide exceptions; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Senate and Governmental Affairs.

SENATE BILL NO. 651—
BY SENATOR LENTINI**AN ACT**

To enact Part VI of Chapter 6 of Title 13 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 13:1801 through 1842 and to repeal Part III of Chapter 6 of Title 13 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, comprised of R.S. 13:1700 through 1724, relative to child custody; to create the Uniform Child Custody Jurisdiction and Enforcement Act; to repeal the Uniform Child Custody Jurisdiction Law; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Judiciary A.

SENATE BILL NO. 652—
BY SENATOR JACKSON**AN ACT**

To enact Part XX of Chapter 2 of Code Title XII of Code Book III of Title 9 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 9:3577.11 through 3577.26, relative to consumer debt management services; to provide for definitions; to provide for applicability; to provide for registration; to provide for record keeping; to provide for bonding requirements; to provide for advertising; to require certain acts; to provide for management services agreements; to provide for fees; to provide for trust accounts; to prohibit certain practices; to provide for fiduciary duty; to provide for powers of the Administrator; to provide for remedies; to provide for prescription; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Commerce, Consumer Protection and International Affairs.

SENATE BILL NO. 653—
BY SENATOR JONES**AN ACT**

To amend and reenact R.S. 44:4.1(B)(31), and to enact R.S. 47:1508(B)(20) and 51:936(C) and (D), relative to the Department of Economic Development; to provide for cooperation between the Department of Economic Development and other state agencies; to authorize the department to obtain certain information in the possession of any state agency; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Senate and Governmental Affairs.

SENATE BILL NO. 654—
BY SENATOR BAJOIE**AN ACT**

To amend and reenact R.S. 46:231.6(A)(1), (B), (C), and (D) and 460.5 and to repeal R.S. 46:460.5(E), relative to FITAP eligibility and earned income disregards; to provide for a sixty-month limit of eligibility for benefits; to provide for earned income disregards; to provide for initial transitional assessments; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Health and Welfare.

SENATE BILL NO. 655—
BY SENATOR DARDENNE**AN ACT**

To amend and reenact R.S. 33:1352(3) and (5), 1353(A)(1), (3), (4) and (B), 1355, 1356, 1357, 1359(A), (B), (D), and (E), and 1360; and to repeal R.S. 33:1352(6) relative to self insurance programs for local housing authorities; relative to administration of self insurance funds; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Insurance.

SENATE BILL NO. 656—
BY SENATOR HAINKEL**AN ACT**

To enact Part XIV of Chapter 11 of Title 40 of the Louisiana Revised Statute of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 40:2200.1, relative to hospitals; to provide for hospital payor rights; to provide for definitions; to prohibit a hospital from making a material change in its charge master more than once annually; to allow a hospital to update its charge master to reflect new technologies; to require a hospital to make it a charge master available upon request; to authorize the Department of Health and Hospitals to assess penalties for noncompliance; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Health and Welfare.

SENATE BILL NO. 657—
BY SENATOR BOISSIERE**AN ACT**

To amend and reenact R.S. 13:1384, relative to criminal district courts; to provide for funding of certain positions or office; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Judiciary C.

SENATE BILL NO. 658—
BY SENATOR SCHEDLER**AN ACT**

To enact R.S. 39:12(C), relative to the commissioner of administration; to require the commissioner of administration to adopt certain rules and regulations; to prohibit any agency from selling certain personal information; to provide for exceptions; to provide for notice; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Senate and Governmental Affairs.

SENATE BILL NO. 659—
BY SENATOR ULLO**AN ACT**

To amend and reenact R.S. 14:43.2(A)(introductory paragraph) and (C), relative to sexual battery; to rename the offense of aggravated sexual battery to forcible sexual battery; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Judiciary C.

SENATE BILL NO. 660—
BY SENATOR BAJOIE**AN ACT**

To enact R.S. 22:215.26, relative to health insurance; to require that optional coverage of treatment for morbid obesity by certain health insurance policies, contracts, and plans be offered; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Insurance.

SENATE BILL NO. 661—
BY SENATOR HOLDEN**AN ACT**

To amend and reenact R.S. 23:76(A), (B), (C)(1), (4), (5) and (6), and to enact R.S. 23:76(C)(2)(g) and (h); relative to the Department of Labor; to provide with respect to occupational forecasting; to provide with respect to the occupational forecasting conference; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Labor and Industrial Relations.

SENATE BILL NO. 662—

BY SENATOR DARDENNE

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 40:964(Schedule III)(D)(3) and (4), relative to classification of controlled dangerous substances; to substitute hydrocodone for dihydrocodeinone as a Schedule III controlled dangerous substance; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Health and Welfare.

SENATE BILL NO. 663—

BY SENATOR HAINKEL

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 18:1505.2(Q), relative to campaign finance; to prohibit the governor, legislators, and statewide elected officials from accepting certain campaign contributions during certain legislative sessions; to prohibit the governor, legislators and statewide elected officials from soliciting certain campaign contributions during certain legislative sessions; to provide for penalties and enforcement; to provide exceptions; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Senate and Governmental Affairs.

SENATE BILL NO. 664—

BY SENATOR MALONE

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 51:926, relative to economic development; to provide for recusal of members of the State Board of Commerce and Industry; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Senate and Governmental Affairs.

SENATE BILL NO. 665—

BY SENATOR HOLLIS

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 49:992(D)(1) and to enact R.S. 49:992(D)(9), relative to division of administrative law adjudications; to provide for an exemption for adjudications involving the Office of Financial Institutions; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Senate and Governmental Affairs.

SENATE BILL NO. 666—

BY SENATOR DARDENNE

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 26:934(6), relative to the Responsible Vendor Program; to provide certain requirements for certification; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Judiciary C.

SENATE BILL NO. 667—

BY SENATOR CHAISSON

AN ACT

To amend and reenact Code of Civil Procedure Art. 1732(1), relative to jury trials; to provide relative to limitations on such trials; to provide relative to the monetary threshold necessary to request a jury trial; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Judiciary A.

SENATE BILL NO. 668—

BY SENATOR HOLLIS

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 6:418.1, relative to financial institutions; to provide that only chartered financial institutions may accept, pay, or hold deposits; to provide for criminal penalties and fines; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Commerce, Consumer Protection and International Affairs.

SENATE BILL NO. 669—

BY SENATOR JACKSON

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 46:153.3(B)(2)(e), relative to the Medicaid Drug Program; to provide an exception to the prior authorization process related to the preferred drug list; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Health and Welfare.

SENATE BILL NO. 670—

BY SENATOR LENTINI

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 23:1034.2(F) as amended by Act 454 of the 1989 Regular Session, R.S. 23:1201(F) and R.S. 23:1291(B)(9) and (10), and to repeal R.S. 23:1034.2(F) as amended by Act 25 of the 1989 Regular Session; relative to workers' compensation; to provide with respect to medical benefits; to require that all disputes be resolved according to the medical reimbursement schedules; to provide for penalties when the insurer engages in a pattern or practice; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Labor and Industrial Relations.

SENATE BILL NO. 671—

BY SENATOR HOLDEN

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 23:1032(D), relative to workers' compensation; to provide with respect to exclusivity of remedy; to provide for exceptions to civil immunity under workers' compensation law; to provide that workers' compensation exclusivity as a remedy shall not extend to an employer who knowingly and intentionally removes safety devices; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Labor and Industrial Relations.

SENATE BILL NO. 672—

BY SENATOR HOLDEN

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 23:1032(D), relative to workers' compensation; to provide with respect to exclusivity of remedy; to provide for exceptions to civil immunity under workers' compensation law; to provide that workers' compensation exclusivity as a remedy shall not extend to injuries that could have been prevented by safety devices that have knowingly and intentionally been removed by the employer or principal; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Labor and Industrial Relations.

SENATE BILL NO. 673—
BY SENATOR CHEEK

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 46:2623(A), (B), and (C), relative to the Louisiana Medical Assistance Trust Fund; to provide for uses of monies in the fund; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Finance.

SENATE BILL NO. 674—
BY SENATOR HINES

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 37:1360.31(B)(8), relative to prescriptive authority for physician assistants; to provide for such prescriptive authority for physician assistants under certain circumstances; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Health and Welfare.

SENATE BILL NO. 675—
BY SENATORS HEITMEIER AND HINES AND REPRESENTATIVES ALARIO AND SALTER

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 39:1496(D), 1497(9), and 1594.3, all relative to the procurement of contract services; to limit the provision of services outside of the boundaries of the United States; to provide for certification by using agencies; to provide an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Senate and Governmental Affairs.

SENATE BILL NO. 676—
BY SENATOR CRAVINS

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 38:2212.3, relative to public contracts; to provide for bids; rejecting all bids domiciled outside the United States; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Senate and Governmental Affairs.

SENATE BILL NO. 677—
BY SENATOR SCHEDLER

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 51:1423, relative to the Unfair Trade Practices and Consumer Protection Act; to prohibit any business from disclosing customer information; to provide for exceptions; to provide for violations; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Commerce, Consumer Protection and International Affairs.

SENATE BILL NO. 678—
BY SENATOR LENTINI

AN ACT

To amend and reenact the Louisiana Civil Code, relative to civil law; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Judiciary A.

SENATE BILL NO. 679—
BY SENATOR CHAISSON

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 14:98(D)(1) and (3), (E)(1) and (3), and (I), relative to operating a vehicle while intoxicated; to provide with respect to the criminal penalties for third, fourth, and subsequent offenses of operating a vehicle while intoxicated; to provide for the court's discretion in suspending a portion of the

criminal sentence for third, fourth, and subsequent offenses; to provide for the court's discretion in ordering an offender to substance abuse treatment and home incarceration; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Judiciary C.

SENATE BILL NO. 680—
BY SENATOR BOISSIERE

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 13:5102(B), relative to suits against the state; to provide for definitions; to limit liability for corporations or contractors which manage agencies or authorities of the state; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Judiciary A.

SENATE BILL NO. 681—
BY SENATOR CRAVINS

AN ACT

To amend and reenact the introductory paragraph of R.S. 39:198(D) and to enact R.S. 39:198(D)(10); relative to the Department of Health and Hospitals; to prohibit certain insurance claims processing practices; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Insurance.

SENATE BILL NO. 682—
BY SENATOR HOLLIS

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 6:1002, 1009, and 1012 and to repeal R.S. 6:1003 through 1008, 1010, 1011, and 1013 through 1016, relative to the Louisiana Check-Cashing Law; to repeal licensing and bonding requirements; to repeal certain civil penalties; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Commerce, Consumer Protection and International Affairs.

SENATE BILL NO. 683—
BY SENATOR HOLLIS

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 9:3572.1, 3572.3(A), 3572.4, 3572.5(A)(1)(g) and (h) and (2)(g), (h) and (i) and the introductory paragraph of (B)(2), 3572.6, 3572.7(A), 3572.8(A), (C), and (D), 3572.9, 3572.10, 3572.11 and 3572.12(A), (C), and (D), relative to loan brokers; to limit application of loan broker's law to consumer loan brokers; to delete application to federally related mortgage loans; to provide relative to small loans and deferred presentment loans; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Commerce, Consumer Protection and International Affairs.

SENATE BILL NO. 684—
BY SENATOR AMEDEE

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 13:691(B)(6), relative to district court judges; to provide relative to district judges contributions to the state retirement system; to provide for the funds from which contributions may be paid and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Retirement.

SENATE BILL NO. 685—

BY SENATOR JONES

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 15:574.2(A)(1) and (B)(1), relative to board of parole; to provide for changes to the vote requirement needed to grant parole; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Judiciary B.

SENATE BILL NO. 686—

BY SENATOR HOLLIS

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 9:3578.4(C) and 3578.6(A)(2) and to repeal R.S. 9:3578.4(B), relative to the Louisiana Presentment and Small Loan Act; to eliminate authority for certain reimbursements; to provide for fee for returned checks and preparation of certain documents; to add prohibited acts; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Commerce, Consumer Protection and International Affairs.

SENATE BILL NO. 687—

BY SENATOR MOUNT

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 47:1837.1, relative to the Louisiana Tax Commission; to require creation of a statewide ad valorem tax assessment database for publication on the Internet; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Revenue and Fiscal Affairs.

SENATE BILL NO. 688—

BY SENATOR HOLLIS

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 6:1087(C), relative to the residential mortgage lenders; to provide for an exemption from licensure and continuing education requirements for employees and exclusive agents of direct or indirect subsidiaries of holding companies; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Commerce, Consumer Protection and International Affairs.

SENATE BILL NO. 689—

BY SENATOR JACKSON

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 46:153.3(B)(2)(b) and to enact R.S. 46:153.3(B)(2)(a)(vi) and 153.3(B)(2)(e)(i) and (ii), relative to the medical assistance drug program; to provide for the utilization of a prior approval process and criteria related thereto; to provide for rulemaking; to provide for an annual report to the legislature and governor; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Health and Welfare.

SENATE BILL NO. 690—

BY SENATORS HINES AND JACKSON

AN ACT

To enact Part LXI of Chapter 5 of Title 40 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 40:1300.222 through 1300.227, relative to federally qualified health centers and rural health clinics; to authorize the Department of Health and Hospitals to develop and implement a long-term plan to encourage expansion and development of federally qualified health centers and rural health clinics; to provide findings; to provide definitions; to provide for reports to the legislature; to

provide for rules and regulations; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Health and Welfare.

SENATE BILL NO. 691—

BY SENATOR JACKSON

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 46:153.3(D)(2)(c) through (s) and to enact R.S. 46:153.3(D)(2)(t), relative to the Medicaid Pharmaceutical and Therapeutics Committee; to provide for changes with respect to who shall be appointed to the committee; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Health and Welfare.

SENATE BILL NO. 692—

BY SENATOR BARHAM

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 14:329.6(E), relative to offenses affecting the public; to require employers of first responders to homeland security emergencies to maintain the employment, pay rate levels, pensions, and benefits for those first responders; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Judiciary C.

SENATE BILL NO. 693—

BY SENATOR DUPRE

AN ACT

To amend R.S. 18:1280.21 and 18:1280.25; to provide relative to the presidential preference primary; to provide relative to the participation of persons registered as an independent or not otherwise registered in a recognized political party; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Senate and Governmental Affairs.

SENATE BILL NO. 694—

BY SENATOR FIELDS

AN ACT

To enact Chapter 34 of Title 13 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 13:5401 through 5408, relative to drug treatment as an alternative to incarceration; to enhance public safety by reducing drug-related crime; to provide for the Drug Treatment Instead of Incarceration Act; to halt the wasteful expenditure of millions of dollars spent on the incarceration of nonviolent drug offenders; to provide for a special fund to be known as the "Substance Abuse Treatment Trust Fund"; to provide for funding allocation; to provide that provisions shall be severable; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Judiciary C.

SENATE BILL NO. 695—

BY SENATOR MALONE

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 31:149, and to repeal R.S. 31:149.1, 149.2, 149.3, 150, 151, and 152, relative to mineral rights in land acquired or expropriated by governments or governmental agencies; to provide certain procedures, terms, and conditions relative to such mineral rights; to provide relative to the prescription of nonuse; to repeal certain provisions; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Natural Resources.

SENATE BILL NO. 696—

BY SENATOR DARDENNE

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 11:291(H), relative to state and statewide public retirement systems; to provide with respect to community property interest; to require child support arrearage owed by a former spouse to be deducted from the former spouse's community property interest in the retirement benefit of a member or retiree or the refund of employee contributions; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Retirement.

SENATE BILL NO. 697—

BY SENATOR IRONS

AN ACT

To enact Part II-C of Chapter 8 of Title 17 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 17:1970.31 through 1970.36, relative to creation of the International School of Louisiana; to provide for a college preparatory education emphasizing French or Spanish language immersion; to provide for definitions; to provide for the location and relationship with educational boards and the state; to provide for a board of directors and terms of office; to provide for powers, duties, functions and terms of office; to provide for funding; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Education.

SENATE BILL NO. 698—

BY SENATOR HAINKEL

AN ACT

To amend and reenact the heading of Part I of Chapter 12-A of Title 33 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950 and R.S. 33:4701(A), 4702(B)(1), (2)(introductory paragraph), (b), (f), and (i), (4), and (6) and (C)(1), 4703(A), 4706(B), 4707(A)(1) and (4), 4708(A), (B)(introductory paragraph), (2), and (4), to enact R.S. 33:4702(B)(2)(j), (k), and (l), and to repeal R.S. 33:4702(B)(3), relative to the New Orleans Business and Industrial District; to change the name of the district; to provide relative to the membership of the board of commissioners; to provide relative to the appointment and qualifications of board members; to provide relative to terms of office; to provide relative to the selection of officers by the board; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Local and Municipal Affairs.

SENATE BILL NO. 699—

BY SENATOR JONES

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 22:1476(C) and 1477, relative to insurers; to provide for licensing of insurance adjusters; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Commerce, Consumer Protection and International Affairs.

SENATE BILL NO. 700—

BY SENATOR IRONS

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 17:416.13(B)(1), the introductory paragraph of (B)(2), and (B)(3) and to enact R.S. 17:416.13(B)(2)(c) and (d) and 416.19, relative to the protection of students; to require certain inclusions in student hand books; to provide relative school policy; to provide for definitions; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Education.

SENATE BILL NO. 701—

BY SENATOR BAJOIE

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 46:1441.14, relative to family child care providers; to provide for required participation in orientation sessions; to provide that orientation programs shall be approved by the Department of Social Services or the Department of Education; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Health and Welfare.

SENATE BILL NO. 702—

BY SENATOR HAINKEL

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 43:19, 24(B) and (C), and 87(A) and to enact R.S. 43:19.1, relative to official journals; to provide that certain requirements for publication in such journals shall not apply if such publications are accessible on the official Internet web site or portal of the Louisiana State Legislature; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Senate and Governmental Affairs.

SENATE BILL NO. 703—

BY SENATOR JONES

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 23:1032(D), relative to workers' compensation; to provide with respect to exclusivity of remedy; to provide for exceptions to civil immunity under workers' compensation law; to provide that workers' compensation exclusivity as a remedy shall not extend to an employer who knowingly and intentionally removes safety devices; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Labor and Industrial Relations.

SENATE BILL NO. 704—

BY SENATOR MOUNT

AN ACT

To enact Part III of Chapter 28 of Title 46 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 46:2145 through 2149, relative to child custody; to provide relative to supervised visitation and exchange centers; to provide for funding; to provide for allocation of grants; to provide for definitions; to establish guidelines and standards for such centers; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Judiciary A.

SENATE BILL NO. 705—

BY SENATOR JACKSON

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 33:9106(A), 9109(B)(6), and 9109(C)(1), (4) and (7)(b), and Section 5(A)(1), (5) and (6) of Act No. 788 of the 1979 Regular Session of the Louisiana Legislature, as amended by Act 441 of the 1981 Regular Session, Act No. 7 of the 1982 Regular Session, Act 1241 of the 1995 Regular Session, and Act No. 1029 of the 1999 Regular Session, and to enact R.S. 33:9108(D), 9109(B)(10), (11) and (12) and 9110, and Section 5(A)(7) and (8) of Act No. 788 of the 1979 Regular Session of the Louisiana Legislature, as amended by Act 441 of the 1981 Regular Session, Act No. 7 of the 1982 Regular Session, Act 1241 of the 1995 Regular Session, and Act No. 1029 of the 1999 Regular Session, relative to communication districts; to provide for definitions; to provide for indemnification; to provide for assessment of prepaid wireless

telephone service; to require multi-line phone systems to provide automatic number and location information; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Commerce, Consumer Protection and International Affairs.

SENATE BILL NO. 706—

BY SENATOR HOLLIS

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 9:3573.4(A) and (B) and to repeal R.S. 9:3573.2(B)(1) and 3573.14(B), relative to the Credit Repair Services Organization Act; to remove exemptions for certain corporations and associations; to provide for bonding; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Commerce, Consumer Protection and International Affairs.

SENATE BILL NO. 707—

BY SENATOR BOISSIERE

AN ACT

To enact Part II-B of Chapter 4 of Code Title II of Code Book III of Title 9 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 9:2440.1 through 2440.12, relative to successions; to provide for uniform transfer on death of securities; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Judiciary A.

SENATE BILL NO. 708—

BY SENATOR MOUNT AND REPRESENTATIVE HAMMETT

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:1522, relative to the Department of Revenue; to authorize the secretary to enter into contracts to conduct alternative dispute resolutions to assist in the collection of any taxes, penalties, or interest due; to delete the limitations on such contracts; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Revenue and Fiscal Affairs.

SENATE BILL NO. 709—

BY SENATOR MICHOT

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 44:137(D), (E), and (F), relative to public records; to provide for the disposition of original records filed by the clerks of court; to provide for evidentiary status of reproductions of such records; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Senate and Governmental Affairs.

SENATE BILL NO. 710—

BY SENATOR ELLINGTON

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 34:855.3(E), relative to the regulation of personal watercraft; to authorize a person born after January 1, 1991, until they reach the age of 16, to operate a personal watercraft if they have completed a boater safety education course and are accompanied by a person at least 18 years of age; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Transportation, Highways, and Public Works.

SENATE BILL NO. 711—

BY SENATOR MCPHERSON

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 40:2009.22, relative to Medicaid nursing home beds being dually certified; to provide for nursing home operators to be required to dually certify beds that are certified for Medicaid reimbursement; to provide for a permissive grace period; to provide for penalties for failure to dually certify; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Health and Welfare.

SENATE BILL NO. 712—

BY SENATOR BOISSIERE

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 13:1384, relative to criminal district courts; to provide for funding of certain positions or office; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Finance.

SENATE BILL NO. 713—

BY SENATOR MARIONNEAUX

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 23:1032.1, relative to workers' compensation; to provide with respect to liability of employers; to exempt employers who fail to secure workers' compensation insurance or proper certification of self-insurance status from statutory immunity; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Labor and Industrial Relations.

SENATE BILL NO. 714—

BY SENATOR MICHOT

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 30:2418(G) and (I), relative to waste tires; to provide for fees collected on the sale of tires; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and returned to the Calendar, subject to call.

SENATE BILL NO. 715—

BY SENATOR DUPRE

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 32:407(A)(2)(a) and (3), relative to drivers' licenses of minors; to provide relative to Class "E" learner's and intermediate drivers' licenses; to provide restrictions; to provide for certain authorized persons to be in a vehicle once the driver has obtained an intermediate license during a certain time period; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Transportation, Highways, and Public Works.

SENATE BILL NO. 716—

BY SENATOR HAINKEL

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 1:58.3, relative to state holidays; to establish Ronald Reagan Day as an annual observance; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Senate and Governmental Affairs.

SENATE BILL NO. 717—
BY SENATOR FONTENOT

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 51:421(I) and (J), 422, 424, 425, and the introductory paragraph of 426, and 427, relative to the Unfair Sales Law; to provide for technical corrections; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Commerce, Consumer Protection and International Affairs.

SENATE BILL NO. 718—
BY SENATOR BAJOIE

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 15:440.1, 440.2, 440.3, 440.4, 440.5, 440.6 and to enact R.S. 15:440.7, relative to electronic recordings used as evidence; to authorize a videotaped statement of the victim be used as evidence, if the victim is under the age of fourteen or a person with a developmental disability or with mental retardation; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Judiciary C.

SENATE BILL NO. 719—
BY SENATOR MICHOT

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 13:5106(B)(1) and (2), relative to the Louisiana Governmental Claims Act; to provide relative to limitations of liability; to provide for clarification of the applicability of the limitations of liability; to provide for legislative intent; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Judiciary A.

SENATE BILL NO. 720—
BY SENATOR MCPHERSON

AN ACT

To amend R.S. 42:1115(B), relative to ethics code; to provide for gifts; to restrict elected officials from receiving certain gifts; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Senate and Governmental Affairs.

SENATE BILL NO. 721—
BY SENATOR HOLDEN

AN ACT

To enact Chapter 20-B-6 of Title 17 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 17:3042.61 through 3042.63 relative to psychologists; to provide student loan forgiveness for certain public school psychologists; to provide conditions and guidelines for receiving loan forgiveness; to provide for payment; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Education.

SENATE BILL NO. 722—
BY SENATOR BAJOIE

AN ACT

To amend and reenact Code of Criminal Procedure Articles 893.1(A), 893.2(A), (C) and (D) and 893.4 and to enact Code of Criminal Procedure Article 893.3.1, relative to imposition of sentences; to provide for enhanced penalties when a semiautomatic assault weapon is used in the commission of certain crimes; to provide for definitions and applicability of terms; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Judiciary C.

SENATE BILL NO. 723—
BY SENATOR ELLINGTON

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 42:1113(A) and to enact 42:1112(E), relative to hospital service districts; to provide with respect to participation in certain transactions and prohibited contractual arrangements for physicians appointed to boards of hospital service districts; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Senate and Governmental Affairs.

SENATE BILL NO. 724—
BY SENATOR JONES

AN ACT

To enact Code of Criminal Procedure Art. 930.9, relative to capital punishment; to provide a procedure to determine competency of an inmate to be executed; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Judiciary C.

SENATE BILL NO. 725—
BY SENATOR HOLLIS

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 37:1782 and 1787(A)(4) and (D) and to enact R.S. 37:1787(F), relative to pawnbrokers; to provide for definitions; to provide for license eligibility; to provide for license revocation; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Commerce, Consumer Protection and International Affairs.

SENATE BILL NO. 726—
BY SENATOR HOLLIS

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 51:2378(A) and the introductory paragraph of (B), 2382(B)(1),(2),(5),(6), and (7), and 2383(C), and to enact R.S. 51:2378(B)(14), and (C)(15), 2381(C), and 2383(13), (14), (15), (16), (17), (18), (19), (20), (21), and (22), relative to the Louisiana Economic Development Council; to increase the membership of the council; to provide for reports by the council to the legislature; to appoint certain subcommittees of the council; to increase the cabinet advisory group on economic development; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Commerce, Consumer Protection and International Affairs.

SENATE BILL NO. 727—
BY SENATOR BOISSIERE

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 33:4071 and 4072 and to repeal R.S. 33:4073 and 4074; to abolish the Sewerage and Water Board of New Orleans and to provide relative to the creation of a sewerage and water agency by amendment of the home rule charter of the city of New Orleans; to provide that such agency shall be the successor to the Sewerage and Water Board of New Orleans and to provide relative thereto; to provide effective dates; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Local and Municipal Affairs.

SENATE BILL NO. 728—
BY SENATOR BOISSIERE

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 11:102(B)(3)(d), 542(A), (B), (C)(1)(introductory paragraph), and (D), and 883.1(A), (B), (C)(1)(introductory paragraph), and (D), to provide relative to payment of unfunded accrued liabilities of the Louisiana State Employees' Retirement System and of the Teachers' Retirement

System of Louisiana; to provide for amortization of unfunded accrued liabilities in over a thirty-year period from the time of occurrence; to include negative employee experience account balances in the unfunded accrued liability; to provide for experience account credits; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Retirement.

SENATE BILL NO. 729—

BY SENATORS BOISSIERE AND BAJOIE
AN ACT

To enact Chapter 13-D of Title 33 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 33:4720.51 through 4720.71, and to repeal Act No. 170 of the 1968 Regular Session, as amended, and to repeal all Acts amending such Act including Act No. 299 of the 1972 Regular Session, Act Nos. 571 and 572 of the 1980 Regular Session, Act No. 155 of the 1984 Regular Session, Act Nos. 65 and 135 of the 1994 Third Extraordinary Session, Act Nos. 30 and 375 of the 1995 Regular Session, Act No. 101 of the 1997 Regular Session, and Act Nos. 266 and 968 of the 2003 Regular Session, relative to the city of New Orleans; to codify the provisions of the New Orleans Community Improvement Act; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Local and Municipal Affairs.

SENATE BILL NO. 730—

BY SENATOR DUPRE
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 17:3390(F), relative to private nonprofit corporations which support public higher education institutions; to provide relative to records of certain payments by such organizations to employees of postsecondary institutions or employees or officers of certain boards; to provide for the application of public records laws; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Senate and Governmental Affairs.

SENATE BILL NO. 731—

BY SENATOR CAIN
AN ACT

To enact Chapter 8 of Title 22 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 22:3201 through 3205, relative to automobile insurance fraud prevention; to establish the Louisiana Automobile Theft and Insurance Fraud Prevention Authority in the Department of Insurance; to provide for the authority's duties, purposes, board of directors, staff, plan of operations, and funding; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Insurance.

SENATE BILL NO. 732—

BY SENATOR CAIN
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 22:627(A)(2), 1257, 1258, 1259, 1262.1(B) and (E), the introductory paragraph of R.S. 22:1263, 1267(A), relative to surplus lines insurance; to provide for changes in insurance policies; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Insurance.

SENATE BILL NO. 733—

BY SENATOR ADLEY (By Request)
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 40:2200 and to rename Part XIII of Chapter 11 of Title 40 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, relative to annual public finances disclosure by hospitals; to provide for mandatory annual public reporting of finances; to provide for definitions; to provide for specific data to be included in report; to provide for civil penalties for failure to file such a report; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Health and Welfare.

SENATE BILL NO. 734—

BY SENATOR JONES
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 15:456, relative to criminal proceedings; to provide relative to interrogations in capital offense investigations; to require electronic recordation; to provide conditions and procedures for use of such recordings; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Judiciary B.

SENATE BILL NO. 735—

BY SENATOR MCPHERSON
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 40:2117.1(4), relative to licensure of end stage renal disease (ESRD) facilities; to exempt penal and correctional facilities from the requirements of licensure as end stage renal disease (ESRD) facilities; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the resolution was read by title and referred to the Committee on Health and Welfare.

SENATE BILL NO. 736—

BY SENATOR JONES
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 23:1652(A), R.S. 25:380.11(A) and 651(A), R.S. 34:942(A), 1072(A), 1101(A), 2303 and 3151(A),(B) and (C) R.S. 37:1104(2)(a) and 2102(A), R. S. 38:3098.6(A),(B) and (C), R.S. 42:1481(A) R.S. 46:2501(A),(1) and (2), (B),(1) and (2) and (C), R.S. 48:108.1(A), 1092.1(A), R.S. 51:1010(A) and 2233(A), and R.S. 56:74(A); and to enact R.S. 2:341(D) and 654(D), R.S. 3:264(J), 401(C), 453(F), 473(G), 551.3(K), 551.32(E), 551.63(G), 551.73(F), 551.82(D), 556.3(J), 557.4(P), 558.3(J), 732(I), 1312(K), 1432(C), 1604(J), 1892(I), 2091(M), 2364(F), 3211(K), 3363(I), 3403(L), 3801(J), 4106(C), 4272(D) and 4603(K), R.S. 4:61(F) and 144(D), R.S. 8:61(C) and 675(N), R.S. 9:2341(G), R.S. 11:122(9), 181(F), 511(6), 1302(D), 1821(J) and 2225(E), R.S. 13:42(C) R.S. 15:151(C), 323(G), 572.1(G), 574.2(G), 574.22(J), 1155(K), 1202(D), 1228.3(14) and 1094.1(C), R.S. 16:51(C), R.S. 17:2(E), 24.4(K), 407.3(D), 1453(J), 1871(C), 1911(K), 1964(G), 1970.24(G), 1979(F), 2503(I), 3022(F), 3053(H), 3093(E) and 3212(F), R.S. 22:9(E), 15(E), 1192(D), 1194.2(D), 1381(D), 1395.6(E), 1401(K), 1417(E) and 1922(F), R.S. 23:76(D), 103(C), 1398(D), 1652(B), 1658(C) and 2043(D), R.S. 24:38(E), 81(C), 202(F), 551(C), 661(E), 802(F) and 933(D), R.S. 25:2(C), 315(G), 341(H), 373(E), 379.1(F), 380.11(B), 380.22(F), 651(B), 822(I), 891(E), 902(G), 1001(E), 1005.1(E), 1223(G) and 1232(G), R.S. 27:11(H), R.S. 28:753(C), 826(J), 831(K) and 1402(E), R.S. 29:253(D), R.S. 30:83(I), 121(E), 2062(H) and 2503(I), R.S. 32:772(J) and 1253(I), R.S. 33:2006(F), 2342(H), 4064.2(H), 4574.12(G), 4579.1(E), 8062(D), 9551(G) and 9571(F), R.S. 34:1(N), 202(E), 322(C), 942(B), 962(D), 991(D), 991.1(D), 1042(C), 1072(B), 1101(B), 1121(D), 1221(D), 1401(E), 1451(D), 1702(D), 1951(E), 2471(C), 2555(D), 3104(F), 3151(D), 3166(D), 3251(D), 3263(E) and 3474(E), R.S. 36:801.7(F), R.S.

37:142(E), 341(F), 683(E), 753(K), 832(E), 914(F), 962(D), 1007(D), 1042(F), 1104(G), 1172(C), 1263(D), 1270.1(I), 1314(K), 1361(F), 1432(F), 1515(F), 2102(B), 2151(D), 2165(G), 2303(D), 2401.1(K), 2455(C), 2503(F), 2551(F), 2654(I), 2704(H), 2802(H), 2835(E), 3061(D), 3084(L), 3111(G), 3152(I), 3173(G), 3201(G), 3242(G), 3253(C), 3273(I), 3356(H), 3373(I), 3394(J), 3444(F), 3463(I), 3504(H) and 3554(H), R.S. 38:20(C), 291(V), 304(D), 1798.4(C), 1921(H), 2322(D), 2704(D), 3074(F), 3087.4(E), 3087.134(J), 3087.194(F), 3097.4(E), 3098.6(D) and 3303(E) and R.S. 39:5(D), 22(3), 99.5(F), 301(F) and 1784(C), R.S. 40:511.(H), 600.4(E), 1232.2(M), 1299.40(G), 1299.44(E), 1299.88(F), 1299.181(J), 1299.185(E), 1300.61(D), 1300.105(E), 1351(C), 1578.1(G), 1662.13(H), 1841(E), 2018(J), 2019(H), 2191(E), 2403(I), 2451(H) and 2491(H), R.S. 41:1602(G), R.S. 42:456.2(D), 882(F), 1132(E) and 1481(B), R.S. 46:153.(E), 933(H), 1081(D), 1406(G), 1803(G), 2265(G), 2351(F), 2355(14), 2404(H), 2501(D), 2525(I), 2605(G), 2613(G), 2624(J), 2634(I), 2662(E), 2675(F) and 2751(D), R.S. 47:463.60(I), 820.5.3(E), 1402(D), 1832(C) and 9004(H), R.S. 48:101(D), 108.1(B), 1092.1(B), 1352(C), 1604(K), 1671(G), 2063(F) and 2074(M), R.S. 49:214.12(D), 219.2(D), 1053(J), 1112(I), 149.61(E) and 213.3(D), R.S. 51:911.26(K), 923(D), 943(D), 1010(B), 1256(L), 1284(D), 1304(E), 1318(K), 1364(J), 2233(B), 2311(H) and 2402(H), R.S. 56:1(I), 74(B), 331(F), 421(G), 578.2(F), 700.13(F) and 1681(D), relative to appointed officials to boards and commissions; to require every board and commission of the state of Louisiana to reflect the state's population by race and gender to ensure diversity as practicable as possible, except as required by federal court order; and provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Senate and Governmental Affairs.

SENATE BILL NO. 737—
BY SENATOR MOUNT

AN ACT

To enact Chapter 34 of Title 33 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 33:9301, relative to special districts; to provide for the creation, powers, and duties of the Calcasieu Parish Gaming District; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Judiciary B.

**Introduction of Senate Bills
and Joint Resolutions**

Senator Bajoie asked for and obtained a suspension of the rules for the purpose of introducing and reading the following Senate Bills and Joint Resolutions a first and second time and referring them to committee.

SENATE BILL NO. 738—
BY SENATOR HAINKEL

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 9:4103(A), relative to alternative dispute resolution; to provide for the referral of a case to mediation by the court; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Judiciary A.

SENATE BILL NO. 739—
BY SENATOR FIELDS

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 27:93(A)(1) and R.S. 46:4, and to enact R.S. 27:93(A)(9), relative to the Louisiana Riverboat Economic Development and Gaming Control Act; to provide with respect to admission fees for riverboats in East Baton Rouge Parish; to

provide for allocation of funds derived from additional riverboat boarding fees; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Fields, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Local and Municipal Affairs.

Messages from the House

The following Messages from the House were received and read as follows:

Message from the House

**CONCURRING IN
SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTIONS**

March 29, 2004

To the Honorable President and Members of the Senate:

I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House of Representatives has finally concurred in the following Senate Concurrent Resolutions:

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 1—
BY SENATOR BAJOE

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To invite the Honorable Kathleen Babineaux Blanco, Governor of Louisiana, to address a joint session of the legislature.

Reported without amendments.

Respectfully submitted,
ALFRED W. SPEER
Clerk of the House of Representatives

Message from the House

**ASKING CONCURRENCE IN
HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTIONS**

March 29, 2004

To the Honorable President and Members of the Senate:

I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House of Representatives has finally passed and asks your concurrence in the following House Concurrent Resolutions:

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 7—
BY REPRESENTATIVE ODINET

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To commend Phyllis Diecidue for receiving the Milken Family Foundation National Educator Award and for her dedicated service to the students of St. Bernard Parish.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 11—
BY REPRESENTATIVE FRITH

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To commend Vermilion Catholic High School upon winning the Class 1A State Football Championship.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 21—

BY REPRESENTATIVES FLAVIN, FRITH, GEYMAN, E. GUILLORY, HILL, JOHNS, AND MORRISH AND SENATORS CAIN, MOUNT, AND THEUNISSEN

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To express sincere and heartfelt condolences of the Legislature of Louisiana upon the death of Robert William Clements of Lake Charles.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 26—

BY REPRESENTATIVE STRAIN

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To recognize September of 2004 as Parent Teacher Association Month in Louisiana.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 27—

BY REPRESENTATIVE SMILEY

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To commend Josh Burton upon receiving the Milken Family Foundation National Educator Award and for his dedicated service to the students of Livingston Parish.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 30—

BY REPRESENTATIVE MONTGOMERY

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To commend Chief Master Sergeant Charlie Sherman Poole who gave his life for his country in the war in Vietnam and to recognize his bravery and sacrifice for his nation.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 16—

BY REPRESENTATIVE LANCASTER AND SENATOR HAINKEL

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To express sincere and heartfelt condolences upon the death of the Honorable William H. Byrnes III, chief judge of the 4th Circuit Court of Appeal and a former state representative, and to recognize his contributions to the state of Louisiana.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 19—

BY REPRESENTATIVE SALTER

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To Recognize May 5, 2004, as State Employee Recognition Day.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 39—

BY REPRESENTATIVE SCHNEIDER AND CROWE AND SENATOR SCHEDLER

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To express the sincere and heartfelt condolences of the Legislature of Louisiana upon the death of Mrs. Marilyn Faust of Slidell.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 40—

BY REPRESENTATIVE HONEY

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To commend the Southern University Laboratory School girls basketball team upon winning the high school Class 1A state basketball championship.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 41—

BY REPRESENTATIVE HONEY

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To commend the Southern University Laboratory School boys basketball team upon winning the high school Class 1A state championship.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 43—

BY REPRESENTATIVE HONEY

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To commend the Louisiana State University Laboratory School boys basketball team upon winning the high school Class 2A state championship.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 45—

BY REPRESENTATIVE LAMBERT

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To commend Amanda Mayeaux upon receiving the Milken Family Foundation National Educator Award and for her dedicated service to the students of Ascension Parish.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 47—

BY REPRESENTATIVE WINSTON

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To proclaim April 22, 2004, as Take Our Daughters and Sons to Work Day and to encourage whole communities to participate in the day's activities.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 49—

BY REPRESENTATIVES E. GUILLORY, FLAVIN, GEYMAN, JOHNS, AND MORRIS AND SENATORS CAIN, MOUNT, AND THEUNISSEN

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To commend the Lake Charles-Boston High School Boys Basketball team upon winning the Class 3A state championship.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 50—

BY REPRESENTATIVE JANE SMITH

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To recognize Travis Feaster for his many outstanding accomplishments during his years at Benton High School.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 51—

BY REPRESENTATIVE JANE SMITH

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To commend Will Slack of Stockwell Place Elementary School in Bossier City for qualifying for the State Geography Bee to be held on Friday, April 2, 2004.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 54—

BY REPRESENTATIVE DORSEY

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To recognize in Louisiana the month of April every year as " Crime Victims Awareness and Memorial Month" in order to promote public awareness of and educate the public on the need to prevent violent crimes against women.

Respectfully submitted,

ALFRED W. SPEER

Clerk of the House of Representatives

House Concurrent Resolutions

Senator Bajoie asked for and obtained a suspension of the rules to take up at this time the following House Concurrent Resolutions just received from the House of Representatives with a view of acting on same:

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 7—

BY REPRESENTATIVE ODINET

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To commend Phyllis Diecidue for receiving the Milken Family Foundation National Educator Award and for her dedicated service to the students of St. Bernard Parish.

The resolution was read by title; lies over under the rules.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 11—

BY REPRESENTATIVE FRITH

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To commend Vermilion Catholic High School upon winning the Class 1A State Football Championship.

The resolution was read by title; lies over under the rules.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 16—

BY REPRESENTATIVE LANCASTER AND SENATOR HAINKEL

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To express sincere and heartfelt condolences upon the death of the Honorable William H. Byrnes III, chief judge of the 4th Circuit Court of Appeal and a former state representative, and to recognize his contributions to the state of Louisiana.

The resolution was read by title; lies over under the rules.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 19—

BY REPRESENTATIVE SALTER

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To Recognize May 5, 2004, as State Employee Recognition Day.

The resolution was read by title; lies over under the rules.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 21—

BY REPRESENTATIVES FLAVIN, FRITH, GEYMAN, E. GUILLORY, HILL, JOHNS, AND MORRISH AND SENATORS CAIN, MOUNT, AND THEUNISSEN

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To express sincere and heartfelt condolences of the Legislature of Louisiana upon the death of Robert William Clements of Lake Charles.

The resolution was read by title; lies over under the rules.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 26—

BY REPRESENTATIVE STRAIN

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To recognize September of 2004 as Parent Teacher Association Month in Louisiana.

The resolution was read by title; lies over under the rules.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 27—

BY REPRESENTATIVE SMILEY

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To commend Josh Burton upon receiving the Milken Family Foundation National Educator Award and for his dedicated service to the students of Livingston Parish.

The resolution was read by title; lies over under the rules.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 30—

BY REPRESENTATIVE MONTGOMERY

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To commend Chief Master Sergeant Charlie Sherman Poole who gave his life for his country in the war in Vietnam and to recognize his bravery and sacrifice for his nation.

The resolution was read by title; lies over under the rules.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 39—

BY REPRESENTATIVE SCHNEIDER AND CROWE AND SENATOR SCHEDLER

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To express the sincere and heartfelt condolences of the Legislature of Louisiana upon the death of Mrs. Marilyn Faust of Slidell.

The resolution was read by title; lies over under the rules.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 40—

BY REPRESENTATIVE HONEY

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To commend the Southern University Laboratory School girls basketball team upon winning the high school Class 1A state basketball championship.

The resolution was read by title; lies over under the rules.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 41—

BY REPRESENTATIVE HONEY

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To commend the Southern University Laboratory School boys basketball team upon winning the high school Class 1A state championship.

The resolution was read by title; lies over under the rules.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 43—

BY REPRESENTATIVE HONEY

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To commend the Louisiana State University Laboratory School boys basketball team upon winning the high school Class 2A state championship.

The resolution was read by title; lies over under the rules.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 45—

BY REPRESENTATIVE LAMBERT

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To commend Amanda Mayeaux upon receiving the Milken Family Foundation National Educator Award and for her dedicated service to the students of Ascension Parish.

The resolution was read by title; lies over under the rules.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 47—

BY REPRESENTATIVE WINSTON

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To proclaim April 22, 2004, as Take Our Daughters and Sons to Work Day and to encourage whole communities to participate in the day's activities.

The resolution was read by title; lies over under the rules.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 49—

BY REPRESENTATIVES E. GUILLORY, FLAVIN, GEYMAN, JOHNS, AND MORRISH AND SENATORS CAIN, MOUNT, AND THEUNISSEN

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To commend the Lake Charles-Boston High School Boys Basketball team upon winning the Class 3A state championship.

The resolution was read by title; lies over under the rules.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 50—

BY REPRESENTATIVE JANE SMITH

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To recognize Travis Feaster for his many outstanding accomplishments during his years at Benton High School.

The resolution was read by title; lies over under the rules.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 51—

BY REPRESENTATIVE JANE SMITH

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To commend Will Slack of Stockwell Place Elementary School in Bossier City for qualifying for the State Geography Bee to be held on Friday, April 2, 2004.

The resolution was read by title; lies over under the rules.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 54—

BY REPRESENTATIVE DORSEY

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To recognize in Louisiana the month of April every year as "Crime Victims Awareness and Memorial Month" in order to promote public awareness of and educate the public on the need to prevent violent crimes against women.

The resolution was read by title; lies over under the rules.

Adjournment

Senator Bajoie moved that the Senate adjourn until Tuesday, March 30, 2004, at 1:30 o'clock P.M.

The President of the Senate declared the Senate adjourned until 1:30 o'clock P.M. on Tuesday, March 30, 2004.

GLENN A. KOEPP
Secretary of the Senate

GAYE F. HAMILTON
Journal Clerk